TODAY'S WEATHER
Fair and Warmer, With Variable Winds.

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THE WEATHER

Fine weather is promised Pittsburgh and vicinity by the Washington observer, his prediction being for fair and warmer conditions today and tomorrow. The rainfall yesterday amounted to .22 of an inch. Yesterday's maximum temperature was 78. The sun rose cloudy at 4:46 and set clear at 7:27. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Fair.

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	29.99	68	82	N. W.	Cloudy.
8 p. m.	29.97	71	65	N. E.	Clear.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for July 21:

	1902	1901		1902	1901
Maximum	75	96	Mean	69	84
Minimum	65	78	Precipitation	T	.50
Max. tem. 2:30 pm.	78		Exc. since Jan 1		511
Min. tem. 4:00 am.	64		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.		.16
Mean temperature.	71		Precipita. for day		.22
Nor. tem. 31 yrs.	74		Exc. for day		.06
Dfcy. for day		3	Exc. since July 1		1.91
Dfcy. since July 1.		14	Exc. since Jan. 1		3.89

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 22.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair and warmer Thursday. Friday fair. Light west to northwest winds, becoming variable.

Ohio—Fair and warmer Thursday. Friday fair; light variable winds.

West Virginia—Fair and warmer Thursday. Friday fair.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Chicago	84 Pt Cldy	Huron	76 Cloudy
Omaha	78 Clear	Bismarck	80 Pt Cldy
Cincinnati	78 Pt Cldy	Washington	78 Pt Cldy
Louisville	84 Clear	Philadelphia	78 Cloudy
Nashville	84 Pt Cldy	N. York City	72 Cloudy
Indianapo's	76 Pt Cldy	Cleveland	68 Clear
Kansas City	74 Pt Cldy	Buffalo	66 Cloudy
Memphis	90 Clear	Cheyenne	80 Cloudy
Cairo	82 Cloudy	Denver	86 Pt Cldy
St. Louis	86 Cloudy	Salt L. City	82 Pt Cldy
St. Paul	76 Pt Cldy	New Orleans	90 Pt Cldy

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Sailed July 22.

NEW YORK—St. Paul, from Southampton; Majestic, for Liverpool; Amsterdam, for Rotterdam.

LONDON—Montevidian, for Montreal.

SOUTHAMPTON — Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, for New York.

QUEENSTOWN—Carpathia, for New York.

ANTWERP—Pennland, for Philadelphia.

Arrived July 22.

NEW YORK—Massilia, from Marseilles; Oceanic, from Liverpool; Mongolian, from Glasgow.

COPENHAGEN — Heilig Olev, from New York.

LIVERPOOL—Haverford, from Philadelphia; Georgian, from Boston; Tauric, from Portland.

ANTWERP—Switzerland, from Philadelphia.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—New stock opera company in "The Chimes of Normandy," 8:15 p. m.

KENNYWOOD PARK—Concerts of Rocereto's band; steeplechase horse full of attractions; Sanders and Cameron in comedy act.

OAKWOOD AND SOUTHERN PARKS—Free vaudeville bills at 2:30 and 8:45 p. m.

ANOTHER HEAD IN THE BASKET

Charles Hedges Is Dismissed from Service in Postoffice Department.

CHARGES ARE SERIOUS

Superintendent of Free Delivery Said to Have Falsified His Per Diem Accounts.

SECRETARY GAVE EVIDENCE

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 22.

One more head fell into the postoffice basket today, that of Charles Hedges, superintendent of delivery in all the cities of the United States and long the right-hand man and confidant of A. W. Machen, the indicted superintendent of free delivery.

Mr. Hedges is removed for falsifying his per diem accounts as a postoffice inspector. Hedges' uncle, Henry C. Hedges, was the law partner of the late John Sherman at Mansfield, Ohio.

This is the statement issued by the postoffice department regarding the dismissal of Hedges:

"Charles Hedges was today removed from the office of superintendent of free delivery for falsifying his diary and loaning his traveling commission. He reported himself at various places on public business when in fact he was not in those places on the dates mentioned. On October 25, 1900, he states under oath in his diary that he was at Joplin, Mo., on 'extension of free delivery service,' when in fact he was at Mansfield, Ohio, attending the funeral of ex-Secretary John Sherman. On December 7, 1899, he reports himself at San Antonio, Texas, 'investigating carriers,' while in fact he was in Mexico examining mining property.

"In the month of October, 1899, A. W. Machen was sick with typhoid fever and Hedges was at the department acting as superintendent.

Payne Orders Removal.

"In his diary he states, under oath, that he was at various places, namely, New York, Philadelphia, Bridgeport, Camden and elsewhere, 'actually engaged in traveling on business of the free delivery service.'

"There are many other instances of similar falsification. The facts were submitted to the postmaster general some days since, who directed Hedges' removal for the reasons above set forth."

After he had been informed of his dismissal, Hedges made a statement in which he attributed his downfall to W. W. Valentine, his former private secretary.

"While I was assistant superintendent of free delivery, with headquarters at New York, I was called to Washington to take charge of the entire service while Mr. Machen was ill with typhoid fever. While so acting I got $2,000 salary as assistant superintendent, while Machen received $3,500. It was necessary for me to get the per diem allowance to make the services and the compensation equal.

"It is charged that the per diem accounts show me at other points, the theory being that, strictly speaking, under the law, I was not entitled to per diem when at headquarters. This has never been tested, consequently never decided. It has been the practice of the office for the party taking the place of the head of the service to claim per diem in some form.

Betrayed by Valentine.

"In my case I was also supervising the eastern division while officiating as general superintendent here. Herbert W. Valentine, now in the New York postoffice and formerly stenographer there under me, surrendered private letters and notes to the inspectors which gave them this information. I used to drop him a line when I was traveling to keep him posted of my whereabouts.

"Valentine is the one who used this postoffice commission. It was used with a knowledge of General Superintendent Machen and First Assistant Postmaster General Johnson. Valentine was anxious to go out on field work. Mr. Bristow refused to allow the issuance of a commission for Valentine on the ground that he was a clerk and not an officer. Mr. Machen, however, held that as Valentine was engaged on the work of the office his use of the commission was not illegal. As to the San Antonio reference, I was in Mexico, but not examining mining property. I did not see this mining property. In making my reports I never put down towns that I had not visited, nor did I put down all the towns that I visited, as I was permitted to do. Thus, I omitted mentioning the Mansfield visit because I had no official work there, and Joplin was the last place where I had had official work. I simply prolonged the time on the list."

Mr. Bristow declined tonight to say anything as to the status of Mr. Valentine, whom Hedges says traveled on his commission.

FIVE MEN DROWNED IN ANTHRACITE MINE

MAHANOY CITY, July 22.—By the bursting through of a large body of water that was impounded in an abandoned section of Ellangowan colliery of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron Company just before quitting time this evening, five miners, all foreigners, were drowned. The names of the drowned men as far as known are John Murgarage and Peter Keeckned, contract miners; Alexander Lynch, Peter Jancopaski and another laborer.

President Schwab No Better.

PHILADELPHIA, July 22.—(Special.)—Despite reports that he has gone to Colorado Springs and to Waukesha, Wis., Charles M. Schwab is still in his suite in the St. James hotel here under the care of Dr. Alfred Stengel of this city. His condition has not improved within the past few days.

KENTUCKIANS SEND GREETING

Republican Nominee for Governor is the President's Guest.

H. C. FRICK IS PRESENT

Important Conference at Sagamore Hill on Proposed Financial Legislation.

CANNON GIVES HIS VIEWS

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Oyster Bay, July 22.—Morris B. Belknap, nominated by the Republicans of Kentucky a few days ago for governor, was among the visitors to President Roosevelt today. Mr. Belknap came to pay his respects to the president and to discuss with him the political situation in Kentucky. He conveyed formally to Mr. Roosevelt the assurance of the Republicans of his state that they were a unit in support of his nomination for the presidency next year and assured him that they would send a solid delegation for him to the national convention. He expressed strong hope of his own election next fall and informed the president that in 1904 he had little doubt the Roosevelt ticket would sweep the state.

At luncheon the president and Mrs. Roosevelt entertained Senator T. C. Platt of New York, former Senator and Mrs. George Turner of Spokane, Washington, Governor and Mrs. Yates of Illinois, Charlemagne Tower, United States ambassador at Germany; Joseph G. Cannon of Illinois, who will be the next speaker of the house of representatives, and H. C. Frick of Pittsburgh.

Consultation on Currency.

Representative Cannon of Illinois left Oyster Bay this afternoon after a discussion of financial legislation with President Roosevelt.

If a well-defined tendency toward financial legislation develops next fall, Representative Cannon will not be found opposing it. The president believes remedial financial legislation, giving a more elastic currency less liable to stringency in a speculative crisis, is an absolute necessity. Representative Cannon has been represented as so strongly opposed to the senate financial measure now being drawn that no financial legislation of any kind is possible.

"Have you noticed," Mr. Cannon was asked, "statements in some eastern journals in which you are reported as saying there shall be no financial legislation by the house of representatives, and what have you to say in that connection?"

"Yes, I have noticed something of the kind and have not believed it necessary to pay attention to it," he answered. "The congress legislates touching all questions of a constitutional majority. No man has the power to prevent the majority from working its will. Anyone attempting the exercise of such power would write himself down worse than any ass and a knave."

Cannon Was Frank.

There is good reason to believe Mr. Cannon told President Roosevelt he was opposed to financial legislation along the lines of the unsuccessful Aldrich bill of last session. The administration is not committed to the measure now being shaped by the senate committee on finance, of which Senator Aldrich is the chairman. Nor is it in any way bound to the Fowler currency bill framed at the last session of congress. President Roosevelt evidently sent for Mr. Cannon to impress upon him the administration's hope that some financial legislation would be forthcoming at the coming session. Senator Aldrich will visit Oyster Bay before long to discuss financial legislation. The president is resolved that if he can avert it the differences of opinion between the house and senate as to what should be done will not be allowed to kill all chances of financial legislation.

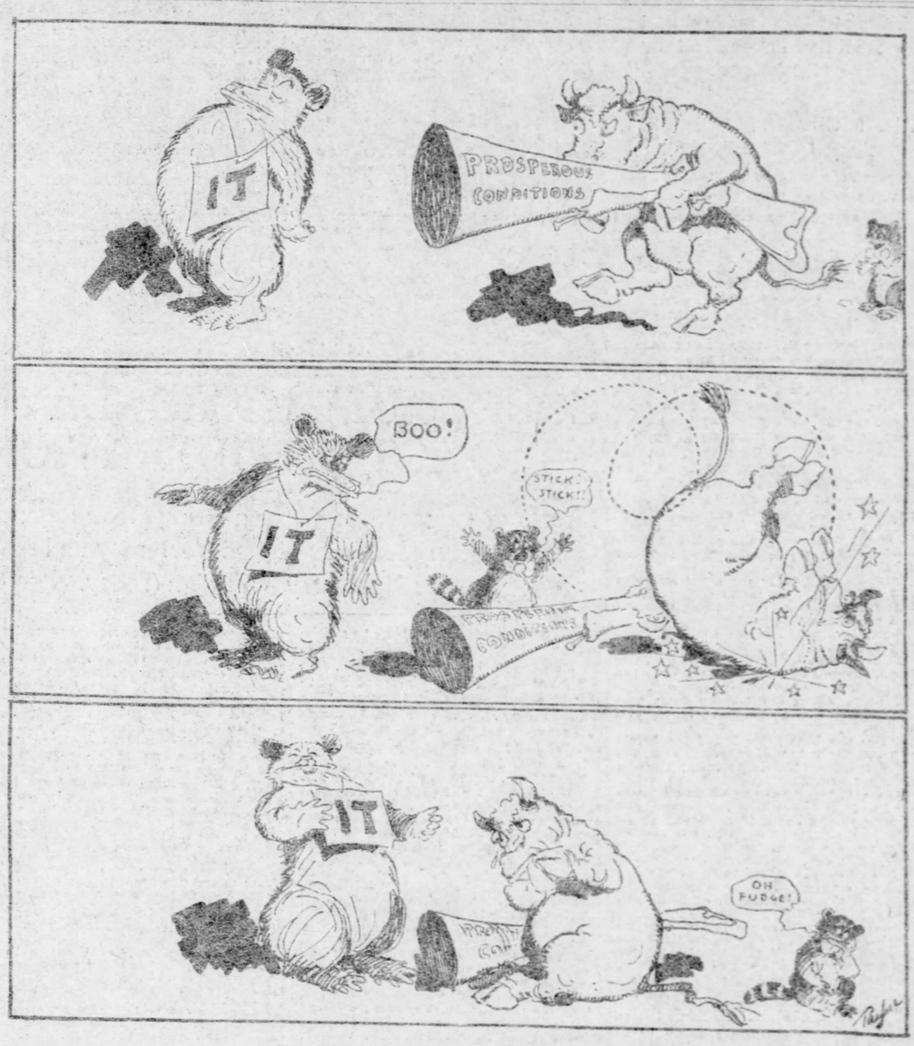
Unless the weather is so inclement that the 40-mile journey will be too great an effort, the president will leave Sagamore at daybreak tomorrow on horseback for Sayville. Four hours afterward he expects to dismount at the house of his uncle, Robert R. Roosevelt, at Sayville, and to spend the day fishing for trout. The president will be accompanied by two of his boys, probably Theodore and Kermit. It is possible, but not likely, that Mrs. Roosevelt will also make the ride. It is proposed to return, leaving Sayville about daybreak Friday morning.

President Roosevelt today received an invitation from the Rev. Thomas S. Lee, rector of St. Matthew's church in Washington, to attend the celebration next Saturday morning of a solemn high mass for the repose of the soul of Pope Leo. The celebration of the mass will be attended by prominent government officials and members of the diplomatic corps. President Roosevelt was unable to accept the invitation and today sent his sincere regrets to Father Lee.

CAPTURED COIN SOLD.

Highest Bid for Subsidiary Spanish Coin Taken at Manila Is $131,582.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—The war department has directed Governor Taft to accept the highest bid, amounting to $131,582, for the subsidiary Spanish coin which was found in the treasury at Manila when the place fell into the hands of the Americans. This is about half the face value of the coin and it is said that the purchasers, if the sale is completed, expect to make a handsome profit through the shipment of the coin to some of the South American republics where it is current. There may be, however, a hitch in completing the transaction as the Spanish government has made formal claim to the money under that section of the treaty of Paris which provides for the return to Spain of movable public property.



The Daily Drama on The Stock Exchange.

TIMIDITY IS ONLY CAUSE OF DECLINE

Steel Corporation's Business in Most Promising Condition.

RECOVERY IN PRICE.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, July 22.

The record low quotations for the common and preferred stock of the United States Steel Corporation—22 for the common and 70 for the preferred—made in the hard drive against the stocks Tuesday were due to market stress instead of unfavorable news.

A high authority in the United States Steel Corporation says that the property is intrinsically as good as it ever was and that the earning capacity, as shown by the latest reports, has not yet attained the maximum. This same authority states emphatically that there is no question as to the indefinite continuance of dividends on the common stock. At 22 for common stock the dividend is 18 per cent, while the preferred at 870 a share yields the investor 10 per cent flat.

A heavy holder of steel stocks explains the break in steel shares on Tuesday by the fact that with 60,000 shareholders there are bound to be some timid ones who throw their stock on the market at the first scare story that comes out.

"The total amount of stock outstanding is $1,018,588,600, of which $510,281,100 is preferred and $508,302,500 is common," he continued. "The bulk of it is held for investment. But because there is such an enormous amount of it, small speculators are afraid to touch it. Hence it is particularly easy for big speculators to sell it in large blocks and depress the price. Conservative brokers advise their customers to purchase both the common and preferred outright, although, because of the great volume of it, they invariably discourage the purchase of the common on margin. Hence the stock does not get the support that other dividend payers do in a big decline."

The story from Pittsburgh that the board of directors of the Steel Corporation have lost control is laughed at here, as it is stated that the members of the board never really had control. Probably the stock of no other concern in the world was ever scattered out among so many people.

There was a comfortable recovery in the steels in Wall street today, and the whole situation was much improved. The steel issues were strong despite the fact that some timid holders, at a loss to account for the decline, sent their stock to be sold this morning.

John W. Gates, who has returned to this city from Chicago, denied today that he had been a heavy seller of shares of the United States Steel Corporation. He said:

"I think standard railroad stocks are selling low enough and they ought to be a purchase at the present. The steel shares are low enough for the present to induce buyers. I do not know where the liquidation in these stocks has been coming from."

FRANK A. PARKER.

Pope's Will Leaves Nothing to His Family

ROME, July 22.—(Special Cable.)—It is reported that Pope Leo's will, dated 1901, leaves all the money and jubilee presents to the church and nothing to his family. It forbids his relatives to contest the will because they were amply provided for through his lifetime.

OPEN PORTS REFUSED IN MANCHURIA

China Declines to Grant Request of United States.

PROMISE IS BROKEN

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

Peking, July 22.—Prince Ching, president of the foreign office, has written to United States Minister Conger refusing to open towns in Manchuria. In his letter he dwells upon the impossibility of China opening to foreigners towns which are not in her possession, but which are held by Russian troops, and points out the complications which would be likely to follow. It is believed here, however, that a compromise may be reached by including one town—Ta Tung Kao—in the new commercial treaty.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—Inasmuch as the Chinese government very recently has expressed its willingness to yield to the desires of the United States for open ports in Manchuria, the officials here are at a loss to understand the communication sent by Prince Ching to Minister Conger refusing this concession. They have received no advices on the subject.

The importance of the communication, if it actually reflects the attitude of the Chinese government, is fully realized in Washington. However, impressed with the heretofore expressed willingness of China to open Manchuria ports, reinforced by the assurances given to this government by Russia along the same lines the officials continue firm in their belief that the situation ultimately will be clarified and the efforts of the United States be rewarded.

In some quarters the objections urged to the opening of ports in Prince Ching's communication are regarded as a mere diplomatic quibble designed perhaps to placate Russia. No matter what fresh obstacles may intervene, the United States government, firm in the conviction that the principle of the open door in China should be enjoyed by all nations, will continue to exert its influence in that direction.

THREE WOMEN CLAIM FAMOUS LIBERTY BELL.

May Get Injunction to Prevent Philadelphia Loaning Celebrated Relic.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, July 22.—Three women, heirs of John Wiltbank, may bring injunction proceedings to prevent this city lending Liberty bell or letting it go away from Philadelphia. Represented by an attorney they claim that the bell was not cracked in 1835, but in 1828, when celebrating Lafayette's visit. Their grand uncle, John Wiltbank, got the contract to repair it and received the bell in exchange for his work. It was not highly valued in those days and was looked on as not much better than junk.

Wiltbank's ownership passed to his heirs and they claim to have proof that the bell is theirs. They will resort to the law if the city lends the bell any more. The names of the women are not made public but they are understood to be residents of a suburb of this city. Their attorney says he examined their claims and is positive the bell is theirs.

They will not invoke the law unless the bell again is lent outside the city. They are willing that it should remain in the nominal possession of the city.

ROOSEVELT WOULD WIN MARYLAND

Ex-Gov. Lowndes Receptive Candidate for State Honors.

COL. GUFFEY SILENT

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Bedford Springs, July 22.—In an interview today former Gov. Lowndes of Maryland, who with several prominent public men, is resting at the hotel here, announced that he is again a candidate for gubernatorial honors in these words:

"I will not go before the Republican primaries to be held August 15, but if the state convention in September desires to make me a candidate of the party, I will accept the nomination."

Speaking further, Mr. Lowndes said he had made no effort to set up delegates for the primaries, and that, so far as he knew, his name would not go before the people at that time. The inference is, therefore, that he will do whatever preconvention work there is to be done with delegates to the state convention.

Asked as to sentiment in his state regarding a standard-bearer of the national party, he said Mr. Roosevelt is stronger today than at any period in his presidential career, and he believes if he is nominated that Maryland will cast a large majority of its votes for him.

J. Fred Talbott, a political leader of Baltimore and a councillor in the Democratic party of the state, said he can see nothing but German as the nominee of the Democratic party, "and," he continued, "Maryland will give him a strong majority over the Republican candidate, whoever he may be."

Col. James M. Guffey and his family are here, as is also ex-Senator Henry G. Davis of West Virginia. Their heads were close together last night, but each denied that it was anything more than a friendly chat. Col. Guffey said he is at the springs for no other purpose than to rest and recuperate, that he will hold no political conferences while here.

When the subject of politics was mentioned to Mr. Davis he nodded toward Col. Guffey and said: "Ask him; he knows all about it; I don't." Mr. Guffey got back quickly with, "Nobody ever said you did," and they started for the spring.

HOODOO AUTOMOBILE KILLS DRIVER'S MOTHER

NEW YORK, July 22.—(Special.)—The hoodoo automobile, the "White Ghost," which E. R. Thomas purchased from William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., has claimed its second victim. The machine got away from the chauffeur, Hawley, early this morning while returning from Coney Island, and ran into a tree killing Hawley's mother, Mrs. Adelaide Hawley of Milford, Pa., and seriously injuring his sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Elberts. In February, 1902, the machine, driven by Thomas, ran over and killed Henry Thies, aged 7. Mr. Thomas was exonerated but the father of the boy sued and recovered $3,125 damages.

CIUDAD BATTLE LASTED FOR FIFTY-TWO HOURS

WASHINGTON, July 22.—The state department has received the following cable message from Mr. Russel, charge d' affaires at Caracas: "Ciudad Bolivar taken by government troops yesterday after 52 hours of desperate and bloody fighting."

DEATH CLAIMS CASSIUS CLAY

Aged "Sage of Whitehall" Dies Soon After His Reason is Dethroned.

FAMILY AT DEATHBED

Had to Pass Armed Bodyguard to Reach Their Dying Parent's Side.

NOTABLE CAREER CLOSED

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Lexington, Ky., July 22.—Gen. Cassius M. Clay died at 9:10 o'clock this evening, at his home, Whitehall. The physician who had been attending the aged "Sage of Whitehall" since the court adjudged him of unsound mind, notified General Clay's children today that their father had only a few hours to live. All of the children except one drove to Whitehall, and, forcing their way past the general's bodyguard, who was guarding the mansion with drawn revolver, entered their father's room.

Gen. Clay refused to notice them. This was the first time any of the children had been in the mansion or had seen their father for years, and it was only because the old man's firearms had been removed from his room that they dared to enter today, as Gen. Clay had threatened to kill anyone who entered without his permission.

Gen. Clay did not realize his dangerous condition and lapsed into unconsciousness without reconciliation with his children, whom he believed wanted to kill him to get possession of his property.

Gen. Cassius Marcellus Clay was one of Kentucky's most picturesque citizens. He was renowned for his fighting qualities, but there were other qualities of mind and heart for which he was equally distinguished. If he was infirm of temper he was ever a steadfast friend.

Gen. Clay was a son of Gen. Greene Clay, who figured prominently in the war of 1812, and was born in Madison county, Ky., on October 18, 1810. He studied for some time in the Transylvania university and went to Yale college, graduating in July, 1832. Returning to Kentucky he studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1834. Taking an active interest in politics, Gen. Clay allied himself with the Whig party, and was elected in 1835 to the state legislature. Removing to Lexington, he was elected to the legislature from Fayette county in 1840 and labored hard to introduce the common school system into the state.

Gen. Clay opposed the Texas annexation scheme as designed to increase the territorial area of slavery and in 1844 canvassed actively for Henry Clay, who was a candidate for the presidency. He commenced the publication, in 1845, of the True American, a weekly newspaper devoted to the overthrow of slavery. Upon the declaration of war against Mexico, in 1846, Mr. Clay entered the United States service as captain of the "Old Infantry Company," a volunteer organization which has distinguished itself in the battle of Tippecanoe, in 1811. He reached Monterey while it was the headquarters of Gen. Taylor and was detached from his regiment and ordered to the van of the army.

Gen. Clay left the Whig party in 1850 and ran as the emancipation candidate for governor of Kentucky, receiving enough votes to defeat the Whig candidate. Ten years later he actively supported Abraham Lincoln for president, having himself been prominently mentioned for the nomination and for the second place on the ticket.

President Lincoln sent Gen. Clay a letter offering him the office of secretary of war, but political intrigues in Washington prevented his acceptance. Mr. Lincoln then offered him his choice of the missions to Spain, Mexico and Russia, and he accepted the latter in 1861.

When Washington stood in peril of capture by armed seceders of Virginia, just after the inauguration of Lincoln, Gen. Clay did much to save the capital by raising a company of "Clay Guards" among the residents and holding the city until troops were brought to its rescue.

DAMAGE BY TORNADO.

One Man Killed, Others Hurt and Many Buildings Wrecked at Paterson.

PATERSON, N. J., July 22.—A terrific tornado visited this city today, during the blow, which lasted about three minutes, one man was killed and at least half a dozen injured. One house was blown down, more than a score of buildings were unroofed.

Half a dozen men were at work on a house. When the tornado struck this building it collapsed. Joseph Van Dam was buried under the wreckage and instantly killed. Four other men were caught, but were dug out alive though unconscious. Two other men were injured in other parts of the city. At St. Joseph's hospital the patients were thrown into a panic. Big trees in the grounds around the hospital were blown down, the windows were smashed and the awnings carried off.

NEWS OF POPE'S DEATH CAME FROM NEW YORK

PARIS, July 22.—The Figaro this morning calls attention to the fact that the English press received their first news of the death of the pope by way of New York, through the medium of the Associated Press.

Boys Disobey and All Are Drowned.

UPPER SANDUSKY, O., July 22.—(Special.)—David and Emery Fox and Paul Clinger, all less than nine years old, were drowned in Tymochtee creek this afternoon. They were forbidden to go near the water.

GOTTI LOSING HIS STRENGTH

Rampolla May Throw His Support to Di Pietro for Pope.

CAMPAIGN IS BITTER.

Secretary of State Upbraids French Cardinals, Accusing Them of Cowardice.

LEO'S BODY READY FOR BURIAL

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

Rome, July 22.—An exchange of visits and opinions, not so much by the cardinals themselves as by friendly election promoters, resulted today in the disclosure of two great succession currents, one favors Cardinal Rampolla and the other Cardinal Serafino Vannutelli. The cardinals who are weary of Leo's policy will not accept Rampolla, the failure of whose French policy is being used against him.

For the first time the French cardinals will not vote as a unit. In their discussion today Rampolla openly upbraided them with cowardice because they had a weapon with which to lure the French government to defeat, but feared to use it. The weapon was a transfer of the protectorate of the Catholics in the Orient to Germany, Italy and Austria. This would smash Combes' ministry.

Rampolla's opposition to the Italian government is famous. While no pope will make overtures to the cabinet, many cardinals decline to accept the responsibility of inaugurating the new reign by making a bitter enemy of the Italian government.

It is believed if Rampolla finds he cannot be elected, he will transfer his strength to Di Pietro. Hitherto he intends to transfer his following to Gotti, and, failing to elect him, both would unite upon Di Pietro, but it is believed the disclosures regarding Gotti's brother have given him his coup de grace.

Gotti is being deprecated and ridiculed today as the mathematician cardinal, the silent cardinal, the kaiser's puppet. Cruelest cut of all, his opponents call him Mademoiselle Cuendon's candidate. She is a Persian seeress who predicted the next pope would be a white-habited, bare-footed monk.

Should Rampolla succeed in electing Di Pietro, the latter will make him secretary of state, as Gotti, if elected would give him the prefecture of the propaganda. Di Pietro is 74, saintly, scholarly and frail. Rampolla's most powerful rival now is Serafino Vannutelli, who is a great friend of the United States. Gibbons is his personal friend and admirer, and it is expected will work for him. Should Vannutelli fail he'll back Agliardi, contenting himself with the secretaryship of state. Agliardi is vice chancellor, an office second only in dignity to the papacy.

Agliardi's christian democracy will attract Gibbons' influence. Cardinals having no candidate are usually influenced by what are called grand electors who are persuasive, energetic cardinals, who, because too young or for other reasons, have not a chance of election to the papacy. They are also called pope-makers. Satolli is a good example of the class. Oreglia is mentioned by many as a possibility, but I cannot find he has many followers.

MARQUIS DE CASTELLANE.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS PASSED BIER OF POPE

Diplomats and Clergymen Took Last Look at the Dead Pontiff.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

ROME, July 22.—Tonight the body of Leo XIII. lies in state in the basilica of St. Peter's. Beginning tomorrow at sunrise the people of Rome and those of all nations now in the Eternal city, will be admitted to pay their last farewell. Opportunity for this solemn tribute will end Saturday.

Until 5 o'clock this afternoon the remains of the dead pope lay in the throne room of the vatican, where the leaders of the diplomatic, clerical and civil world were allowed to pass the bier. The ceremonial tonight, when the body was conveyed from the throne room to St. Peter's, was one of the most striking of all the obsequies.

During the day the congregation of cardinals met and decided to hold the conclave under the identical regulations which obtained at the conclave which elected Leo.

Dr. Lapponi, in the course of the day, presented to Cardinal Oreglia a report of autopsy which was held which showed that there was no sign of cancer in the pope's body.

Some hours before sundown St. Peter's was cleared of idle crowds. The massive doors were closed and the throng of statesmen was pushed back to the foot of the great flight of circular stone steps. Half a hundred carpenters hastily constructed a stout fence five feet high, to resist the encroachments of the crowds, which are expected during tomorrow and the two following days.

At 8 o'clock this evening all was in readiness to take the body of the pope from the vatican to the basilica of St. Peter's. The mournful procession gathered around the bier, which was gently lifted by the pallbearers, who in the lifetime of Leo XIII. had carried him in the Sedia Gestatoria. The dead pontiff was clad in all the pomp of his holy office. About him had been placed the sacerdotal robes used only when he celebrated a grand mass. The vestments were those which he wore for the last time in life in the hall of the consistory, when he confirmed the appointments of Archbishops Farley of New York and Quigley of Chicago, June 25 last.

Leading the procession, as it passed out of the throne room, came the grotesque carrying lighted torches. Behind them

were the aged mace bearers and other domestics of the papal household. The pickets of the noble guard and all the clergy of the vatican, wearing their surplices, followed. Immediately in front of the bier the pontifical silver cross was held aloft. Behind the bier came the three nephews of the late pope, Counts Ricardo and Camillo Pecci and Count Camerli.

The air was heavy with incense from the censers swinging constantly beside the body. At the Hall of Palafraniere the cortege came to a standstill. There the cardinals took their places immediately behind the nephews. Their scarlet had been put aside for the violet robes, which are worn only when princes of the church are in mourning.

The moment the daring torches, which still led the cortege, entered St. Peter's, the choir, which was waiting there, commenced to sing in sorrowful cadence, "Libera me Domine." Mgr. Carcani, the canon of St. Peter's, solemnly sprinkled holy water over Leo's body and pronounced absolution. As it was borne across the threshhold the cathedral choir, still singing took the lead of the lengthy procession. The intense silence which prevailed was broken only by the chanting which echoed and re-echoed from the huge dome and deserted aisles of the chapels as the body was borne down the nave to the Chapel of the Sacrament. There candles burned brightly. In this Chapelle Ardente, the body was reverently stretched behind the iron gates and two members of the noble guard took up positions on either side of the bier.

The body of the dead pope lies tonight on the high catafalque with his slippered feet protruding through the gates to be kissed by the faithful when they will be admitted to the chapel tomorrow and the two following days.

CARDINALS DECIDE TO HOLD CONCLAVE IN ROME

Two Members Objected on Ground of Interference from Italian Government.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ROME, July 22.—At this morning's session of the congress, when Cardinal Oreglia asked if the conclave would be held in Rome, it is reported that only Cardinals Martinelli and Steinhulser objected on the ground of possible influence of the Italian government. Cardinal Oreglia, who himself at the time of the death of Pius IX. had favored a proposition to hold the conclave outside of Italy, today declared that interference by the Italian government was impossible and the proposition to hold the conclave at Rome was carried unanimously.

The congregation decided that all participating in the conclave should not be allowed to hold communication of any kind with the outside world. In 1878 Cardinal Hohenlohe was permitted to have his meals sent from home, through which medium it is said he notified Chigi, the minister of the interior of Italy, and Bismarck, about the proceedings of the conclave.

It has been decided that the cells for each cardinal in the conclave shall be chosen by lot. Preparations for the conclave have already begun in the Sistine chapel, where the balloting will occur.

It is said that an agreement has been reached between the ecclesiastical and government authorities to have the Italian troops under St. Peter's should any disturbance occur during the three days that Leo will lie in state in the chapel of the Sacrament.

JUDGE GORDON'S THRONE NOW CRUMBLING AWAY

Death of Judge McCarthy Removes Last Prop from Insurgent's Prestige.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, July 22.—The death yesterday of Judge Henry Jefferson McCarthy takes from ex-Judge Gay Gordon his sole political prop, presaging his early retirement from the arena in which he has so conspicuously shone as a Democrat-Insurgent. Judge Gordon was on the bench 12 years. He was succeeded in 1898 by Judge McCarthy. Gordon as judge, dictated the appointment of one of the three members of the board of revision, which has the appointment of 60 real estate assessors, each receiving a salary of $2,000 per annum. Prior to the last legislature the law provided that half of the assessors should be members of the minority party. The new law, approved by Gov. Pennypacker, provides that half of the assessors appointed shall be Republicans, the other half to be appointed from the "minority" parties.

It was his control for 12 years, while personally on the bench, and the last three years during which Judge McCarthy was guided by his wishes, of these 30 lucrative positions that made Gordon politically potential. Gov. Pennypacker, it is believed, will appoint a Republican to fill the vacancy. Judge W. Wilkins Carr, the other present Democratic judge, who succeeded the late Judge Arnold, was appointed by Gov. Pennypacker after having been indorsed by the Democratic and Republican judicial conventions. He will be elected this fall and by virtue of his office will control the patronage distributed for 17 years by Judge Gordon.

Judge Carr is a descendant of William Wilkins, after whom Wilkinsburg was named. CHESTER D. POTTER.

NORCROSS BROS. FAIL.

Receiver Appointed for Firm That Built the Allegheny County Court House.

Norcross Brothers Company, one of the largest contracting firms in the United States and the builders of the Allegheny county court house and jail, went into the hands of a receiver yesterday on the petition of Manchester & Hutchins of Providence, R. I., and Wells & Norton of New York. The United States circuit court appointed J. D. Luey and F. D. Smith receivers. The complainants allege that Norcross Brothers have contracts outstanding in the amount of $9,000,000, of which $3,000,000 has been spent in erecting large buildings in various parts of the country. The total net indebtedness is estimated at $500,000. The cause given for failure is labor troubles, which have prevented the fulfillment of many contracts.

In addition to the work as contractors, the company operated extensively in granite, having large sandstone and granite quarries at East Long Meadow and Braceville, Mass., and at Stony Creek, Conn. The headquarters of the concern is at Worcester and the receivers are Worcester men.

The members of the firm are well known in Pittsburgh. One of the brothers a number of years ago married a Miss Orcutt, the daughter of Capt. David B. Orcutt. Their principal work here is the court house and the Bank of Pittsburgh building. The firm had no outstanding contracts in or about Pittsburgh. It recently bid on the Westmoreland court house.

Had Distinguished Passengers.

NEW YORK, July 22.—Among the passengers who arrived today on board the steamer Oceanic, from Liverpool and Queenstown, were: Bishop S. C. Breyfogle, John G. Milburn, J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr., J. H. Oliphant, W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and wife and H. F. and H. L. Doherty, the English tennis players.

Expected at Erskine Park.

PITTSFIELD, MASS., July 22.—(Special.)—Mrs. George Westinghouse, who has been in Pittsburgh and New York for the past two weeks, is expected at Erskine Park the first of next week.

UPRIGHT PIANOS $125-$165.

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EPIPHANY CHURCH DRAPED IN BLACK

Temporary Cathedral a Mass of Sombre Mourning in Honor of Dead Pontiff.

OFFICIAL NOTICE IS HERE

Communication Is Received at Episcopal Residence Formally Announcing Pope Leo's Death—Preparations for Tomorrow's High Pontifical Mass.

Workmen were busily engaged all day yesterday and part of last night in draping Epiphany Roman Catholic church, in Washington street, in sombre black, as a sign of mourning the death of Pope Leo. The handsome new edifice is a mass of black bunting inside and out. The parochial school, the episcopal residence and the cathedral lyceum, opposite the church, is likewise a mass of deep mourning. The red brick of the buildings with the black foreground presents a striking contrast.

The Rev. Miles M. Sweeney, master of ceremonies for the pontifical mass in requiem to take place in the temporary cathedral tomorrow, said yesterday that nearly all the details have been arranged. There will be the procession of priests belonging to the diocese who will take part in the service, this procession starting from one of the sacristys and taking its way through the basement of the church. This procession will take place in the interior of the building.

No further word was received from Bishop Richard Phelan yesterday, but it is understood he will come up from Edgewood this afternoon and will be the celebrant at the mass tomorrow. In the event of the mass being too tedious for the aged bishop, the bishop coadjutor, the Rev. J. F. Regis Canevin will be the celebrant.

The formal notice of the death of the pope, which was issued by the apostolic delegate at Washington to the bishops throughout the country, was received yesterday morning at the episcopal residence connected with the Epiphany church, which is the temporary cathedral. The notice is as follows:

Apostolic Delegation.
United States of America.
Washington, D. C., July 20, 1903.
No. 4,224. (This number should be prefixed to this answer.)

Your Lordship—It is my painful duty to convey to you the sad intelligence of the death of our holy father, the pope, which occurred today.

As in life, so in death, the august pontiff has shown such wonderful example of serious thought and of strength of character, of sweetness of heart, of piety and Christian fortitude, as to evoke in all lands the most striking manifestations of reverence and regard. Leo XIII. is dead! In him the world has lost a profound scholar, a distinguished statesman, a lover and a protector of right and justice; has lost one whose power for the amelioration of society has been exercised with such consummate skill and earnestness as to be felt everywhere and to gain for him universal admiration. Hence his death is deplored by all without distinction of nationality or creed. However, for us Catholics the loss is greater, and consequently still more keenly felt. In Leo XIII. besides the scholar, the statesman, the philanthropist, we have lost our spiritual father, the supreme pastor of our church—him who, during his long pontificate, has watched with incessant solicitude for our spiritual welfare, and has exerted his power to cause to be spread and wider the kingdom of his Divine Master. His reign recalls to our mind the brightest days of the papacy. His able figure has placed one of the most glorious pages in history.

While we bow reverently before the mortal remains of our august pontiff and deplore the great loss which his death has caused to the church, let public and private prayers be raised to heaven in every diocese and in every parish for the eternal repose of that noble soul. Add to the public prayers, your lordship may prescribe such suffrages as your piety may inspire.

With sentiments of highest esteem and profound respect, I beg leave to remain your devoted servant in X.

D. FALCONIO, Arch. of Larissa,
Apostolic Delegate.

PARALYSIS CAUSES DEATH OF PETER M'GEE

Well-Known Democratic Politician and Hotel Man Passes Away at Atlantic City.

Peter McGee, one of the oldest and best-known Democratic politicians in Pittsburgh, died last night at 9 o'clock at the Hotel Ridgeway at Atlantic City of paralysis. Mr. McGee had been in failing health since 1898, when he was operated on at Atlantic City for carbuncle. Shortly after the operation he was stricken with paralysis and his health had been impaired ever since. Last week he suffered another stroke and this caused his death. Mr. McGee was born in County Donegal, Ireland, 64 years ago. He came to the United States in 1850. After working for a time in the iron mills at Johnstown, Pa., he came to Pittsburgh to live, and for years followed the river, being engaged in the coal business when coal from the Monongahela river mines was shipped south on flats. In 1861 he enlisted at Pittsburgh in the Eighth Pennsylvania reserves and at the close of the civil war was mustered out in 1865.

For the past 30 years Mr. McGee had been a resident of the Fifth ward and up until recent years was actively engaged in Democratic politics both in the city and county. He was probably the best-known resident of the Fifth ward, having been engaged in the saloon and hotel business at Washington street and Webster avenue, since 1865. During the Hayes and Tilden Presidential campaign Mr. McGee entered the national fight with his well-known Democratic spirit and defended his opponents by erecting a high hickory pole in front of his hotel. This generally aroused his political opponents and brought politics in the ward to fever heat. One night, as Mr. McGee, who was known for his great ability as a story teller, often related to his friends, the Grand Central Marching club decided that Mr. McGee's pole in front of his bar tolerated, and the marching club stormed his house, but when the melee was over the hickory pole still towered above the angry crowd. This was often referred to in illustrating the character and firmness of Mr. McGee when he entered a contest.

In 1878 he was elected to select council from the Fifth ward, and was elected the ward representative for the three succeeding terms.

Mr. McGee's interests were varied and in recent years he was best known as a hotel man. Besides conducting his place in Pittsburgh, he had also been the proprietor of the Hotel Ridgeway at Atlantic City for the past eight years. When Mr. McGee's illness became serious his family was called to his bedside and when death came he was surrounded by his wife, son and daughter. Mr. McGee was a member of Post No. 3, G. A. R.; Union Veteran legion, Encampment No. 1; the Catholic Mutual Benefit association, and for many years was an active spirit in the old St. Paul's Roman Catholic congregation and later the cathedral congregation. He is survived by his widow, who was Miss Julia Ward of Pittsburgh, previous to her marriage; by one son, Daniel A. McGee, and one daughter, Agnes, the wife of William J. Wiseman. Mr. McGee was also the father-in-law of Select Councilman P. J. Barry.

The remains will be brought to Pittsburgh for interment, but as yet no arrangements have been made for the funeral services.

PITTSBURGHERS AT EASTERN SUMMER RESORTS

BOSTON, July 22.—(Special.)—These Pittsburghers are sojourning at eastern resorts: Mrs. Frank Nicola, Manchester-by-the-Sea, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Dills, Mt. Washington, N. H.; Mrs. C. C. Hussey, Miss E. P. Bryam and Mrs. Ralph H. Binn, at Beach Bluff, Mass.; Mrs. M. A. Griffiths is at the Naneposheme, Marblehead Neck, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wood and Mrs. G. T. Boyle are at Magnolia.

BILLET POOL FORMED AGAIN

Prices to Be Steadied Just as Steel Rail Prices Are Now Established.

ALL PRODUCERS ARE UNITED

Announcement Made by the Established Votes and of the Companies Which Will Enter the New Association—United States Steel Corporation Is Included.

Practically every important producer of billets is included in the membership of a pool which has been formed within the last few weeks, and is now in active management of the entire billet situation, both Bessemer and open hearth.

The companies which have entered this pool are the United States Steel Corporation, the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company, the Republic Iron and Steel Company, the Clairton Steel Company, the Wheeling Iron and Steel Company, the Cambria Steel Company, the Lackawanna Steel Company, the Pennsylvania Steel Company and the Maryland Steel Company, the Iron Age will say today.

The management of the new pool will be similar to that of the steel rail association. The prices have been fixed as follows:

Bessemer billets, in the usual standard size, 4x4 inches, up to .20 carbon, $27 a ton; from .20 to .60 carbon, $28; from .60 to 1 per cent carbon, $29.

Open hearth billets, up to .40 carbon, $28; above .40 carbon, $29.

In sizes smaller than 4x4 inches, there is an advance of $1 a ton over both the Bessemer and open hearth in the standard sizes. Sheet bar and tin plate tonnage are quoted at $1 above billets and blooms.

While the base price is $27 for billets at mills, for Bessemer standard sizes the usual practice will be to make uniform delivered prices.

The announcement causes much interest here. It shows that the market will be kept steady and that there will be no ruinous fighting for sales at the cost of bringing the prices below a reasonable level. There have been frequent reports of late of cuts in billets on small lots and back of these reports has been undoubtedly a production which is at least well up to the demands.

The officials are pointed out by an excellent steel authority as furnishing a good illustration of the wisdom of the division of the ownership of the Clairton Steel Company, as was done a few days ago, by furnishing a ready market for the billet production.

DIED WITHOUT SAYING MUCH OF HIS PAST LIFE

Aged Man Reticent Until the Last — Other Coroner's Cases Yesterday.

Robert Tucker died at the Homeopathic hospital last evening of concussion of the brain and several fractured ribs. He was found June 26 lying on the river bank at Duquesne way and Garrison alley. He refused to tell where his home was or how he came to be injured, except to say that he had fallen and that he worked for a man named Bigley, who has a coal float on the Allegheny river. Tucker was 67 years old. He became unconscious 12 hours before he died.

The body of George Harkins, 13 years old, who was drowned in the Allegheny river at Aspinwall Sunday, was recovered yesterday a short distance from where the boy sank.

Charles Brown, 24 years old, of Versailles township, was killed by a train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad yesterday.

Edward Chilcott, 45 years old, of No. 541 California avenue, Allegheny, was killed by a fall of 60 feet from the Ohio river connecting bridge yesterday morning. He was a brakeman and was walking on the top of his train.

The inquest into the death of Frederick S. Collins, who was killed and his body found at Center avenue and Alliquippa street on April 7, will be held this morning by Coroner Jesse M. McGeary. It is understood that all the witnesses necessary for the Commonwealth to produce have been found except Kasper. The inquest has been postponed seven times at the request of the police department. James Milligan, the night watchman at Schulenberg's stable in Henry street, has not been found, and Coroner McGeary and the police are still trying to locate him as a witness. Milligan was the last man to see Collins alive, and it is believed he may be able to give testimony that will throw some light on the mystery.

The body of the negro killed on the Baltimore & Ohio tracks early yesterday morning was last night identified at the morgue as Orie Brown of Stanton, Va., by his father, Charles Brown, of Long Run, Versailles township. He was 23 years old and married.

OFFICERS WERE ELECTED.

Green Bottle Blowers Selected a Pittsburgh Man for Executive Board.

CINCINNATI, July 22.—The National Association of Green Glass Bottle Blowers adjourned today to meet next July at Buffalo. These officers were elected:

President, D. A. Hays, Philadelphia; vice president, Harry Mackinaw, Alton, Ill.; secretary, William Launer, Philadelphia; treasurer, Conrad Orth, Philadelphia; executive board, Michael Gill, St. Louis; Thomas McDowell, Pittsburgh; E. R. Agerd, Fairbury, Ill.; James Dunn, Brooklyn; John Fodie, Reading, O.; Charles Park, Toronto; Patrick Bunn, Baltimore; trustees, James Loosner, Philadelphia; Martin Lorr, Philadelphia, James Uburger, Philadelphia.

MISS ANNA TERRY IS STILL AMONG LIVING

The story that Miss Anna Terry of No. 1807 Tustin street, had disappeared and that she had become sick of life and would never be seen again, was denied by her at her home last evening. The story all grew out of her non-attendance at a party given at the home of Mrs. Mary Hooker on Pride street Tuesday night. She wrote a letter to the hostess explaining her absence and stating that she intended to leave Pittsburgh. From this letter some person with evidently malicious intent, circulated the story. Miss Terry, who is a good looking young lady, said last night: "I was greatly surprised to see the story yesterday. Life is only too short without suicide."

Claims She Was Not Fairly Treated.

The Duquesne borough school board has elected former Burgess Lawrence Furlong truant officer, at a salary of $50 a month, and also accepted recommendations for changes in text books, suggested by Prof. W. H. Winner, the new principal. Miss Grace M. Danley of McKeesport, who was said to be a candidate for the High school, but was elected to take place in the eighth grade, sent in her resignation, claiming that she had not been fairly treated.

Druggists to Be Heard.

Burgess John A. Keys of Wilkinsburg will give his decision this morning in the cases of S. W. Conley, W. L. Smith, M. J. McGann and Berlin & Co., druggists, against whom suits were brought for violating the Sunday laws by selling on Sunday. Justice John J. Walker, before whom the first suits were heard, is to be called as a witness by the defendants this morning.

DIED.

M'GEE—On Wednesday, July 22, 1903, at 9 p. m., at Atlantic City, N. J., PETER M'GEE, in his 64th year.

Notice of funeral later.

LEFT THE NOISY WORKSHOP TO COMPOSE SWEET MUSIC

Floyd J. St. Clair.

From a machinist in the Carnegie Steel Company's mills at Braddock to a successful music composer, in a few short years, is the rather remarkable record of Floyd J. St. Clair of Braddock, whose latest composition, "The Plumed Knight," is one of the most successful marches of the year. Mr. St. Clair learned the machinist's trade in the Edgar Thomson steel works at Braddock, but having a love for music above all else, he soon became prominent in musical circles, not only in Braddock, but throughout the state, and when the Edgar Thomson band was organized he became its leader and has since given his entire time to music. Recently he has devoted his attention to composing, and among his most successful efforts are: "The Steel King," "Sunny Jim," "The Plumed Knight," "Land of the Midnight Sun," "Celtic," "Bachelor Maids" and "Sweet Remembrance."

COUNCILS MEET MONDAY TO ACT ON FILTRATION

Efforts of Councilman Wasson Bring Good Results. Fourteen Members Signed Yesterday and Balance Necessary Will Sign Today.

A call for a special session of common council next Monday night to take action on filtration will be sent out today. An order for the call was circulated yesterday by Councilman J. C. Wasson of the Twentieth ward. He obtained 14 names and requires but three more to make the one-third of the membership necessary to call a special meeting.

Mr. Wasson will have no trouble in getting 17 signatures, as he did not meet with a single refusal yesterday. The 14 members who signed the order for the call yesterday were I. W. Shearer, W. B. Wolfe, J. C. Wasson, J. G. Armstrong, W. H. Stevenson, John Martin, T. M. Brown, John Hogue, Jacob Soffel, Jr., John F. Semmelrock, W. C. Reitz, William Brand, A. Martin Barr, J. F. Shaw.

The call specifically states that the meeting is for the purpose of receiving the report of the filtration committee, and this will prevent the opponents of the Pennsylvania railroad attempting to revive the franchise fight. The fact that half of the members who signed the call yesterday are advocates of the Duquesne way franchise shows that the railroad fight will not be renewed. Mr. Wasson stated yesterday that common council was through with the railroad ordinance for the present, and that the measure would not come up next week.

Mr. Wasson finally succeeded in finding Mayor William B. Hays yesterday morning and asked him to issue the call for a meeting of common council. The mayor declined, stating that he could only call a meeting in a case of public emergency, and that he construed this to mean riot, flood, strike, conflagration or some other such crisis.

Mr. Wasson said the mayor, however, had agreed to aid him in getting members to sign a call for a meeting. While 17 members only are required to call a meeting, it takes 26 members to make a quorum. In view of the widespread interest in the filtration matter, augmented by the alarming increase of typhoid in the last couple of weeks, the councilmen have begun to some extent awakened to a sense of their responsibility for the present serious situation. It is believed that enough members will be on hand next Monday night to make a quorum, although it is reported that the anti-filter lobby is actively working to prevent a meeting.

Many new cases of typhoid are reported daily to the health bureau. Ten new cases were reported yesterday.

YOUNG WOMAN TELLS STOWE STRANGE TALE

Claims She Is Under Hypnotic Influence of a Handsome Young Alleghenian.

Assistant District Attorney Edwin H. Stowe was called upon yesterday for advice in one of the most peculiar tales he had been called upon to listen to since he has been connected with the office of District Attorney John C. Haymaker. During the afternoon a young woman called at the office for advice and she was turned over to Mr. Stowe.

She did not give her name or residence, but her pretty face and confiding manner secured for her the sympathy of the young officer. In reply to Mr. Stowe's questions she stated that she is mentally and physically a hypnotic prisoner. She said that James Hotham, a "handsome and gallant young man of No. 608 Walker street, Allegheny, is the man who sways her by his hypnotic power and that she no longer has control over her actions or speech.

While Mr. Stowe greatly sympathized with the young woman he was unable to help her in her trouble. He did the best he could, though, to help her out of her difficulty, and told her that the only remedy he had ever heard was for her to cross her fingers when she felt the spell coming over her. The young woman thanked Mr. Stowe for his advice, and on leaving the office stated that she would follow Mr. Stowe's advice and felt sure she would be able to resist Hotham's influence over her.

There is no No. 608 Walker street, Allegheny, and none of the residents in that vicinity had ever heard of a man named James Hotham.

TENNIS SURPRISE.

Larned and Wright Beat Wrenn Combine at Longwood.

BOSTON, July 22.—Today's play in the Longwood tennis tournament gave a notable opportunity to size up the capabilities of three men who have been selected to meet the English team the first week in August, and the result was not altogether encouraging. In the morning Edgar Leonard gave Georga Wrenn a hard battle and it was only after two sets and three straight games that he succeeded, and some against Wrenn that he awoke to the situation and finally, by wearing Leonard out, won the match.

In the afternoon the American team received a still further shock, when Larned and Wright, unknown as a double combination until the Seabright tournament, had things pretty much their own way in the double contest with the Wrenn brothers. They completely outplayed and outgeneraled the Wrenn combine, and by persistent lobbing and directing the play at Wright the latter settled down into the hands of their opponents. Wright did not weaken in the least and when the game was called on account of darkness it looked as though one more game would give the victory to Wright and Larned. The match stood 8—6, 8—6, 4—6, 6—3, in favor of Larned and Wright, when it was stopped. It will be continued tomorrow and the winners will play Ward and Ware.

WOMAN LAWYER ARGUES RECEIVERSHIP CASE

HARRISBURG, July 22.—Deputy Banking Commissioner Morrison and Deputy Attorney General Fleitz today heard argument on the application made by Congressman Butler of Chester, that the Eastern Union Building and Loan association be placed in the hands of a receiver. Miss Belle Darlington of West Chester was the attorney for Butler, the first time a woman attorney has appeared in a case at the attorney general's department. Another hearing will be held next week.

New York Bond Bids Opened.

NEW YORK, July 22.—Comptroller Grout opened bids today for $3,300,000 worth of corporate stock, $2,500,000 of which is for the construction of the rapid transit railroad and $1,000,000 for rapid-taking the fund for street and park openings. He announced there were 39 bids and the average price would be 104. The stock is in the form of 3½ per cent tax-exempt gold bonds, payable in 50 years.

Identified Man Who Sold Goods.

Pierce Mitchell of State alley was arrested yesterday afternoon by detectives Louis Neff and Oscar Sieffert on a charge of larceny. Mitchell is alleged to have taken five rolls of cloth and a suit of clothes from the store of the Yankee Pants Company at No. 811 Fifth avenue. The clothing was found in a second-hand store in Second avenue and Mitchell was identified as the man who sold them. The cloth was not found.

Brief Taste of Freedom.

As Daniel Kane left the workhouse yesterday morning after serving a 20-day sentence he was arrested by Constable Ben Diamond of Alderman James R. Connors office on a charge of larceny preferred by Henry Ochs. It is alleged that before Kane was sentenced to the workhouse he stole some jewelry from Ochs.

PUTNAM TO GRANT TWO CONCERNS MORE TIME

Ancillary Proceedings in Shipbuilding Receivership in Three States.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PORTLAND, ME., July 22.—At the close of the hearing in the United States court today on the bill in equity brought by Roland Conklin and others against the United States Shipbuilding Company, for the appointment of James Smith, Jr., of New Jersey, as ancillary receiver of the Company for the Maine district, Judge Putnam intimated that he would enter a decree that the Bath iron works and the Hyde Windlass Company of Bath be allowed to complete their contracts, before being turned over to the receiver. The Hyde company has several large contracts on hand, including the construction of the United States cruiser Cleveland, and the battleship Georgia. A formal decree will be entered later.

WILMINGTON, DEL., July 22.—A joint meeting of the creditors and officials of the Harlan & Hollingsworth Company and Receiver Smith of the United States Shipbuilding Company, who is also ancillary receiver of the Harlan & Hollingsworth Company, was held at the company's works in this city. A proposition was submitted to the creditors that the receiver continue the plant as a going concern, applying the profits, if any, to the payment of the concern's obligations. The proposition was accepted and the creditors and a committee was appointed to co-operate with Receiver Smith in carrying the proposition into effect.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 22.—As a result of the action taken by the Mercantile Trust Company in the case against the United States circuit court by E. S. Pillsbury to obtain the foreclosure of a mortgage on certain property, yards and docks in this city, owned by the shipbuilding company and formerly the property of the Union Iron works.

ALLEGES EXTORTION.

Counsel for Indicted Trades Union Secretary Hints at Grave Irregularities.

NEW YORK, July 22.—(Special.)—In the statement of his case today counsel for Lawrence Murphy, former treasurer of the stone cutters' union, declared he would prove that the $12,000 alleged to have been embezzled by Murphy never legally belonged in the union's treasury. He made the open assertion that one builder in Brooklyn had been forced to pay the union men $10,000.

Questions were asked by defendant's counsel to make it appear that counsel was in the possession of information that in the past year over $200,000 had been paid for fines, assessments and expenses. Only one witness against Murphy was examined today, Barney Mory, a stone cutter. The cross-examination he was asked: "Why was that $10,000 assessed?" "To unionize the shop," he replied.

RECEIVERS APPOINTED FOR SOUTHERN CAR CO.

TRENTON, N. J., July 22.—(Special.)—Bankruptcy proceedings were commenced today in the United States district court against the Southern Car and Foundry Company and Judge Kirkpatrick appointed as receivers for the concern Thomas Gillespie of West Orange, N. J., and Thomas G. Bush of Birmingham, Ala. The complainants in the action are the Standard Steel Car Company of Pittsburgh, the Pennsylvania Malleable Company and the American Surety Company of New York. Today's proceedings were brought to preserve to all the creditors the assets of the New Jersey corporation in all states.

Lucky Baldwin in Runaway.

PASADENA, CAL., July 22.—(Special.)—E. J. better known as "Lucky" Baldwin, this evening narrowly escaped death in a runaway. He was driving in company with Col. Hemphill when his horse took fright at a trolley car. Baldwin could not manage the animal, which ran, throwing both men to the pavement. Baldwin was taken to the hospital. It was found that no bones were broken.

Logan Again on Charity Board.

Col. A. J. Logan, president of the chamber of commerce, was yesterday reappointed a member of the state board of charities by Gov. Pennypacker. He received his first appointment a year and a half ago during the administration of Gov. Stone, to succeed Isaac Wister of Philadelphia.

Convict Labor Bill Defeated.

ATLANTA, July 22.—The lower house of the general assembly today, by a vote of 88 to 73, killed the Felder convict bill, which provided that convicts should be worked on the public roads in the county from which the convict was sentenced. The bill has been the principal issue of the present session of the legislature.

USEFUL CAREER ENDED BY DEATH

Former Speaker Harry Huhn Succumbs to an Attack of Paralysis.

HAD BEEN ILL BUT FIVE DAYS

Deceased Was Well-Known Philadelphia Politician and One of the Most Noted Parliamentarians of This State.

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Public Ledger Building.
PHILADELPHIA, PA., July 22.

After an illness covering a period of but five days, Hon. Harry Huhn of this city died last night at Atlantic City. His demise was the result of a stroke of paralysis. The deceased was a former reading clerk of the house of representatives at Harrisburg, an ex-representative and a leading politician in this city.

Tonight Speaker Henry F. Walton of the house announced in consideration of the fact that the deceased had long continuous service as clerk and speaker, he had appointed a committee of the legislature to attend the funeral. The following members were named: Herman Hutt, chairman, of the Fifteenth district of Philadelphia, James Clarency of the Eighteenth district, Walter Willard of the Twenty-seventh district, John H. Riebel, Nineteenth district of Philadelphia, William B. Kirker, Seventh district of Allegheny, Franklin March of Chester county, Ward R. Bliss of Delaware county, David McClay of Franklin county, John E. Rex of Montgomery county, Lewis M. R. Scott Ammerman, Montour county, Fred T. Ikeler, Columbia county.

The deceased was born in Philadelphia on July 8, 1852, early entered the printing trade, but, owing to ill health, he moved to Schuylkill county, where he became chief clerk and paymaster of the Little Schuylkill Navigation and Coal Company. He then took up the study of law and in 1890 was elected to the house of representatives from Schuylkill county. As a member of the legislature at the outbreak of the rebellion he was active in aiding the placing of the state on a war footing.

In 1897 the deceased returned to this city and was elected to represent the Fifteenth ward in the common council, serving two terms of two years terms and being president for two years.

Mr. Huhn served as a member of the Pennsylvania house of representatives in 1873-76 and was re-elected by a large majority in 1877-78. He served as speaker pro tem of the house, chairman of the ways and means committee, a member of the committee on appropriations and other leading committees. He also occupied the positions of reading clerk, speaker's clerk and chief clerk of the house, and was recognized as one of the leading parliamentarians in the state, his decisions on parliamentary procedure being sought by presiding officers all over the country. During his terms as president of the Philadelphia common council Mr. Huhn served as a director of Girard college, member of the board of trustees, commissioner of Fairmount park and public buildings.

WOMAN HORSEWHIPS OHIO POSTMASTER

Attacked Officer on Street, Claiming a Letter Had Gone Astray.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

DEFIANCE, O., July 22.—An attack was made this morning upon Postmaster C. J. Thompson by Cora Prator, colored. The official received at least a half dozen lashes from a buggy whip which the young woman wielded. Mr. Thompson gave out the following:

"I was met this morning by the young colored woman named Cora Prator on the North Side, just a short distance from my home. She accosted me by saying, 'Old yes returned my mail to Muskogee, Indian Territory,' and immediately proceeded to attack me. I do not understand the motive of the girl or what prompted her to act so."

It is understood that the cause of the attack is a matter at present in the hands of the United States postal department. It is said that Miss Prator has been sending alleged blackmailing letters about prominent persons in this city. Because one of her letters, it is said, has been sent to Muskogee, she blamed Mr. Thompson. Miss Prator was arrested and bound over to common pleas court. She gave bail for $300.

STOPPED FROM TAKING HORSE AND BUGGY

While W. C. Barr and his friend, John Isett, were in a house in Perry street, early this morning, Alexander Blanchford, a former policeman, it is alleged, attempted to take Barr's horse and buggy, which had been left standing in front of the house. Blanchford and his companion, it is alleged, extinguished the light on the rig, and after throwing the lamp under the seat, jumped in the buggy and started to drive away. Barr and Isett came out of the house just after the buggy started away. They gave chase and overtook it. Blanchford was seized and held until Policeman J. J. Dillon arrived and placed him under arrest. Blanchford's companion escaped.

PITTSBURGHER ROBBED WHILE HE LAY DYING

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., July 22.—(Special.)—Denver Easter of Hazelwood, Pittsburgh, was robbed of $30 as he lay dying in this city, after being shockingly mangled while trying to board a moving train on July 4. This is the charge which Claim Agent Apple of the Cleveland & Pittsburgh railroad at Wellsville today lodged with the police, who are now seeking to locate the culprit. Young Easter, who had charge of the elevators in a Pittsburgh bank building, lived but a few hours after being hurt.

SENATOR CULLOM'S NEPHEW INDICTED IN ARIZONA

PHOENIX, ARIZ., July 22.—(Special.)—The Federal grand jury at Prescott has issued an indictment against Shelby M. Cullom, nephew of Senator Cullom of Illinois, clerk of the supreme court of Arizona. He was arrested here today and taken to Prescott. The indictment is based on charges emanating from Washington. It is said that Cullom refunded all money supposed to have been misappropriated and believed the matter to be ended.

BRAZILIAN ARMY IS DECIMATED BY FEVER

RIO JANEIRO, BRAZIL, July 22.—(By Special Cable.)—A letter from the Acre territory says that the Brazilian army is perishing under fever attacks. Six hundred officers and men are dead and 400 are ill. Some detachments of troops are without medicine. Marshal Mallet, the minister of war during the last administration, will take the place of Gen. Sylveria in leading the Acre expedition.

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DUQUESNE BOY PUZZLES OFFICERS

Frank Shuck, 7 Years Old, Escapes from Oakdale and Enters Houses.

Frank Shuck, a 7-year-old boy of Duquesne, is puzzling Judge Marshall Brown and the officers of the juvenile court, to whose care he has been entrusted during the past few weeks. He has become so interesting to Mrs. Alice Montgomery, the probation officer of the juvenile court, that she has asked that he be photographed and subjected to the Bertillon system of measurements that his physiological condition be established.

Two weeks ago Judge Marshall Brown sent the boy to the Boys Industrial school at Oakdale, but the authorities there decided they could not manage him and sent him back to the court. He broke out of the Oakdale home and entered several residences. On Saturday last Judge Brown asked the Oakdale authorities to keep the boy for a week, but he escaped again and returned to his home in Duquesne. He had some jewelry about which he would tell nothing.

Assistant District Attorney Edwin H. Stowe was to have considered the boy's case yesterday, but Judge Brown did not appear and the case was postponed until this morning. The boy's mother refused to take charge of him over night and Mrs. Montgomery had him placed in the matron's room in Central station. Among other thefts of which he recently pried open a roll-top desk and took $37.50.

NOME VICTIMS' BODIES.

Remains of Persons Who Lost Lives in Alaska to Be Sent Here from Seattle.

The steamer Oregon arrived in Seattle, Wash., yesterday, bringing the remains of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Hayes and Sherman Gregg, all of Pittsburgh, victims of Nome's big fire, according to a special telegram received by The Gazette from Seattle last night.

The remains of Clarence E. Andrews of Titusville, who died of pneumonia in a Nome hospital, will also be sent east.

Needless to leave home for banking. Write North American Savings Co.

PIANO SPECIALS.

A nice second-hand Kranich or Bach Upright, Rosewood case, $125.

Chickering Bros., Upright, Mahogany case, used only one year, $290; regular $510 style.

Hallett & Davis Upright. Beautiful walnut case. Less than two years old, $240; when new, $473.

Kranich & Bach Baby Grand. A perfect gem. Not used enough to hurt, only $350.

Kimball Upright, used for a time by Prof. Charles Davis Carter. Beautiful tone, $210.

Kimball Upright, Cabinet Grand, 1510 style. Out less than three months, now $360.

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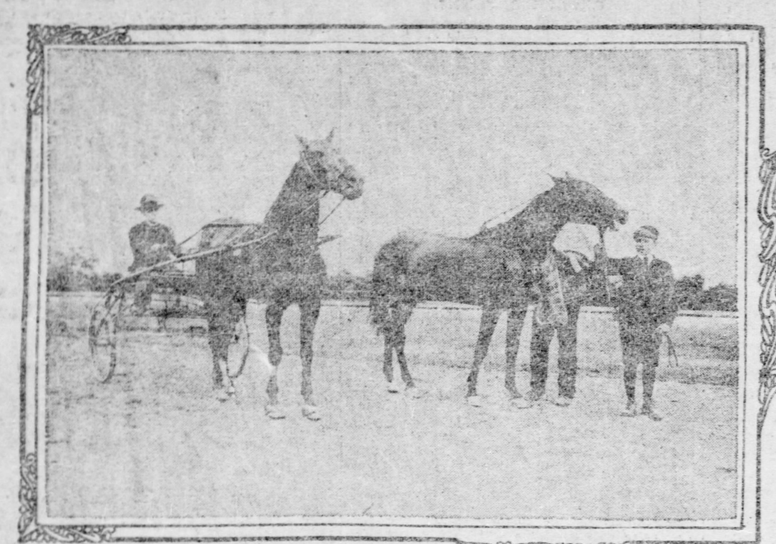
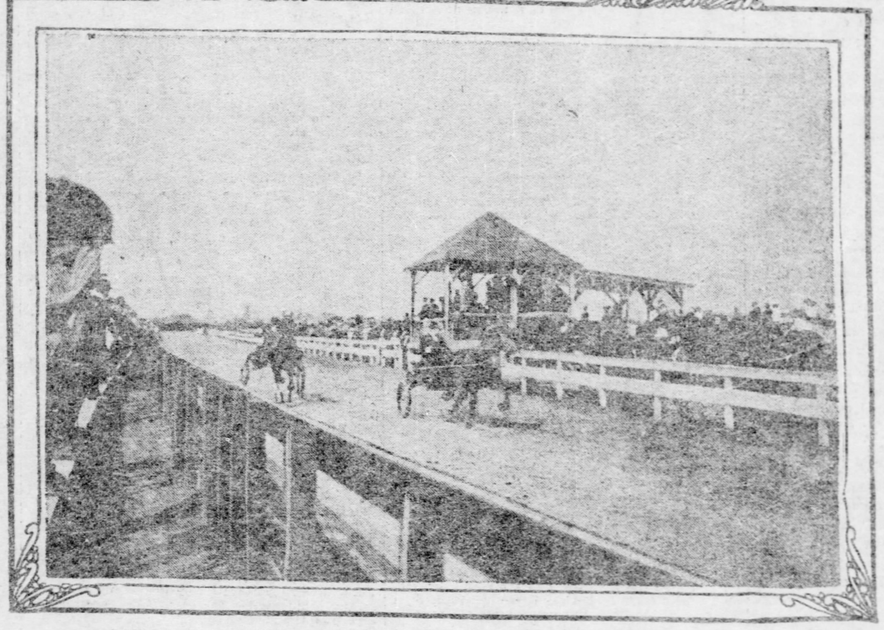


Black B. and Ante Ross, Owned By Dr. Franklin.

Women In Carriages Watching the Races.



Big Crowd Interested In a Close Finish.

FIRST MATINEE A GREAT SUCCESS

Prettily Gowned Women Lend Attractiveness to Events of Schenley Club.

FIVE LIVELY RACES ARE RUN

Business Was Practically Suspended in the East End District While Merchants Witnessed Trotting and Pacing Contests at the Oval.

Groups of gayly attired women in traps and runabouts and in the grand stand was the conspicuous feature of the first matinee of the Schenley Matinee club at the Oval in Schenley park yesterday afternoon. Five trotting and pacing races were run and the day was a marked success. Business was practically suspended in the East End district yesterday afternoon and nearly all the merchants were at the track.

This club is newly organized and is composed principally of business men of the East End. There are 50 members and 25 more are expected to join before the end of the week. Races will be run every Wednesday afternoon while the weather permits, and in addition there will be track sports in the enclosure.

The weather proved favorable yesterday for the initial matinee and a great crowd attended the races. In the enclosure were nearly a hundred vehicles of all kinds scattered all around the track. Here women predominated. The grand stand was crowded within a radius of 80 yards of the judges' stand and here too were many prettily attired women.

There were 12 heats in the five races. J. S. Wilson with his sorrel gelding Mack K., won the first heat of the matinee in the first event, a pacing race. His horse finished second in the final race. The best heat of the day was between Mr. Bennett's Dan Wilks and Mr. Garland's Molly G., in the last heat of the fourth race.

These two fast trotters ran neck and neck down the entire north side of the track, Molly G., finishing less than a length past Dan Wilks. This heat caused considerable excitement. The spectators rose from their seats en masse as the trotters rounded the curve with their noses together. Molly G. made the best time of the half mile in 1:13.

The best showing yesterday was made by Dr. Franklin's two pacers, Ante Ross, a bay colt, and Black B., a black mare. The former arose did the half mile in 1:13¾, and the latter in 1:13½, each winning the races entered in. Dan Wilks' time in the heat with Molly G., was 1:13¾.

The judges of the contests were W. H. Baddeley, J. H. T. Robitzer and J. S. Billing. All the races were lively contests, although the excellence of some was marred by frequent breaking of the horses to inexperience in racing.

The entries for next week are expected to be much greater than yesterday.

A summary of the events follow:

Event No 1—Face.

Ante Ross, b. c. (Dr. Franklin)	3	1	1
Mack K., s. g. (Wilson)	1	2	3
Fred M., b. g. (Wood)	2	3	2

Time—1:18, 1:18½, 1:14¾.

Event No. 2—Trot.

J. C., b. g. (Ross)	2	2	1
Chestem Boy, b. g. (Hyle)	1	3	2
Wilks Girl, s. m. (Dr. Franklin)	3	1	3

Time—1:13½, 1:16½.

Event No. 3—Pace.

Black B., blk. m. (Dr. Franklin)	1	1	
Hot Stuff, b. g. (McNeal)	2	2	
Erkien, b. g. (Wood)	4	3	
Donald Sprinks, b. g. (Gallens)	3	4	

Time—1:13½, 1:16½.

Event No. 4—Trot.

Molly G., b. m. (Garland)	1	1	
Dan Wilks, gr. g. (Bennett)	2	2	
Hartford, br. g. (Moore)	4	3	
Wetshal, gr. g. (Kern)	3	4	

Time—1:15¾, 1:18.

Event No. 5—Pace.

Louise, b. m. (Gantz)	1	1	
Don, r. s. (Meyer)	2	2	
Bay Hal, b. g. (Loveless)	4	3	
Elizabeth, b. m. (Dr. Franklin)	3	1	

Time—1:15¾, 1:16½.

Who Is Next?

You see friends and neighbors meet with adversity; none can say when their turn will come. Spending all the income is reckless improvidence—to save a sum weekly, however small, is but common sense. Deposit that surplus with the Allegheny Trust Company, 412 Federal street, and enjoy the compounding of 4 per cent interest every six months.

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SIXTEEN-DAY OUTING TO TEN OF THE FINEST SEASHORE RESORTS IN THE WORLD—

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Avalon,
Anglesea,
Wildwood,
Holly Beach, N. J.,
Rehoboth Beach, Del., or
Ocean City, Md.

On 30th inst., the Pennsylvania railroad will run their third seashore excursion. Leaving Pittsburgh, Union station, by special train at 8:35 a. m., with day coaches and Pullman parlor cars, through to Atlantic City, via Delaware river bridge route, without change, at rate of ten dollars, good in coaches only, or twelve dollars in parlor or sleeping cars, when accompanied by the usual Pullman tickets. Coaches to Philadelphia on 4:50 and 9 p. m. trains. Sleeping cars to Philadelphia and through to Atlantic City without change, at 10 p. m.

Excursion and Picnic for Jr. O. U. A. M. Orphans' Home, Cascade Park, New Castle, Pa., Saturday, July 25. Via P. & L. E. R. R.

Trains leave south end Smithfield street bridge 8 and 8:30 a. m., and 1:30 p. m., city time. Tickets now on sale. 75 cents for round trip.

INVESTIGATION NOT HELD AS SCHEDULED

Quorum of Larkin's Committee Did Not Meet and Probing Was Postponed.

Controller John B. Larkin's promised investigation of the health bureau did not materialize last night. The special committee appointed by councils to conduct the investigation was scheduled to hold its first meeting at 8 o'clock last night, at city hall, but the lack of quorum resulted in postponement.

One more member was needed to make a quorum, only two of the five members of the committee being present—Common Councilmen W. H. Stevenson and W. C. Reitz. The absentees were Common Councilman Thomas M. Brown, Select Councilmen John A. Murphy and John Upperman.

Messrs. Stevenson and Reitz were much chagrined that they did not get a quorum. They were inclined to put the blame upon Mr. Brown, for they said he had promised to be present. Mr. Murphy was not expected, because it was known previously that he was out of the city on his summer vacation, and it was also known that Mr. Upperman would not be present, because he was opposed to the investigation, claiming that Controller Larkin should have preferred specific charges.

The clerk telephoned Mr. Brown's residence and was told that he also had left Pittsburgh. Word was telephoned to Mr. Upperman, but he could not be found. Chairman Stevenson then issued another call for a meeting of the committee on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in the office of Supt. G. W. Moore of the bureau of health.

Director Harry Moore, Supt. G. W. Moore and Dr. W. G. Matson were present last night to give testimony.

TOURIST RATES.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

Tourist tickets are now on sale to Muskoka and Kawartha lakes, Highlands of Ontario, Georgian bay, Thousand Islands and Adirondack region.

By calling on Pennsylvania railroad agents at No. 360 Fifth avenue or Union station, special fishing club rates can be obtained for parties of 10 or more to Muskoka wharf, Orilla, Severn, Burks Point, North bay, Penetang, Jacksons Point, Lindsay, Lakefield, Burleigh Falls, Youngs Point, Stony Lake, Alexandria bay and other points.

At these points will be found an abundance of good fishing, together with other features which go to make up an ideal summer resort.

Bank Building Completed.

The new building erected by the United States National bank at 503 Market street has been completed and is now occupied by the bank. It is located one door from Fifth avenue.

LEFT FOR KANSAS.

Mrs. Walter P. Kountz Started Last Night for the West.

Mrs. Walter P. Kountz left Pittsburgh last night, and, according to her intentions, has left for good. She attracted much attention at the Union station. The report that she had purchased a ticket for Chicago gave the workmen at the station the cue to watch for her. As soon as she entered the station, loaded with two grips and several papers and magazines, the ushers soon made it known that she was present and on her way to Kansas City.

When asked for a statement Mrs. Kountz answered that nothing could be said but what had been published. She corroborated the report that she intended applying for a divorce.

"I will spring a sensation on the Pittsburgh public yet," she said as she was passing through the gates to the train.

BIG CROWD AT RECEPTION.

Home Trust Company Held Open House to Many Visitors Yesterday.

Between 1,500 and 2,000 guests attended the formal reception yesterday at the Home Trust Company's quarters in the building the company bought from the Bank of Commerce, at Wood street and Sixth avenue. The offices were handsomely decorated with cut flowers, potted plants and trailing vines. Festoons hung from the four corners of the main banking room, and outside of the doors in Wood street stood two massive plants. Many women visited the company's office. The company is making an effort to secure the deposits of women. The officers of the company were present all day, and refreshments were served throughout the day.

The company's real estate department occupies the west side of the building and will shortly be connected with the banking quarters on the east side, by a rear hallway, through what is now the light shaft. John F. Sweeny is in charge of the real estate department. With him is Robert B. Whiting, who has been Mr. Sweeny's rent manager for some time and will continue in this capacity with the new company. Two real estate salesmen already have been engaged, James M. Miller, until lately with C. C. Hamilton, and Edgar Sutton.

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Today and tomorrow at our Annual July Clearance. No foot want but what you can save 25 to 33 per cent on here at this sale.

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$3.50 and $4.00 Low Cuts, $2.90
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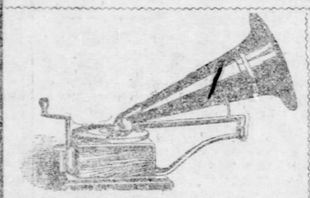

TALKING MACHINES.

We have a lot of fine Talking Machines (discontinued styles), which we are selling at Half Regular Prices.

$20 Talking Machines now $10.00
$25 Talking Machines now $12.50
$30 Talking Machines now $15.00
CASH WITH ORDER.

BARGAINS IN RECORDS.

Large lot of Victor and Columbia Records in perfect playing condition, which have been shopworn. They are the regular 50c and $1.00 Records. Reduced during this clearance sale to .. 25c and 50c

SHEET MUSIC.

Offer No. 10 (Order by number).

a. Dixie Girl (march) 50c
b. Under the Rose (waltz) ..50c
c. Alabama Camp-meeting (two-step) ...50c
$1.50

3 for 50c Cash with Order.

Get a fine

UPRIGHT PIANO $100 UP.

No time to lose. This sale is attracting wide-awake buyers, who recognize the unusual opportunity. Think of reduced prices for such makes as Fischer, Capen, Biddle, Franklin, Cable & Sons, Hamilton, Willard, Smith & Barnes, Schumann, McPhail, Hazleton, Lowrie & Haynes, A. B. Chase, Heller and others.

Some have been used only a few months—others several years—but they are all in excellent condition and splendid bargains. You'd better hurry.

MUSIC CABINETS HALF PRICE.

Finest mahogany and other woods included in this great clearance.

$6.00 Cabinets now $3.00.
$7.50 Cabinets now $3.75.
$10.00 Cabinets now $5.00.
$15.00 Cabinets now $7.50.
$20.00 Cabinets now $10.00.
$25.00 Cabinets now $12.50.

MARTIN GUITARS.

About a dozen (discontinued styles) at reductions averaging one-fourth. This is a rare chance. Martin Guitars are the world's standard. Prices $40 to $95—less one-fourth.

USED ORGANS AT $10 UP.
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Weather—Fair and Warmer. Thursday, July 23, 1903.

Remnants Today.

Store Opens for Early Buyers 7:45.

Not much time for reading this morning except at table—a bite, a sip, a glance. Remnant Day, you know. The third one of the series—and in the nature of growing better as we grow older this third Remnant Day presents greater possibilities for saving good round sums than either of its predecessors.

We haven't the least doubt you will be anxious to get here as early as possible, and on that very assumption we shall give you little reading this morning. But we have a bit of news for women that must get to their eyes before they (the women) start for the store. Nothing less than a

Sale of Mill-End Handkerchiefs

You will recall, ladies, the sale of mill-end hosiery we had last week, and the little prices we asked you to pay for the imported stockings. We went into some detail explaining the meaning of mill-ends. These handkerchiefs are of the same order. They are perfect handkerchiefs in every way. Collectively, they represent a tremendous accumulation of pure linen handkerchiefs, the remaining dozens of many different runs, which our buyer picked up on his recent trip to Belfast—picked up 12,000 at little enough prices for us to pass them along to you in the same fortunate manner.

The regular prices for which these handkerchiefs are usually sold does not bring them under the head of expensive, and now in buying them for the following quotations they become the most inexpensive handkerchiefs imaginable.

5c each—Lot No. 1—Women's All Linen Handkerchiefs, plain hemstitched, laundered ready for use. We sell the counterparts in regular retailing for 10c, but we know some stores that get 15c for the same handkerchiefs.

10c each—Lot No. 2—Women's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, of very sheer linen, a dainty handkerchief in every way. Even this store, known for its less prices, charges 18c and 20c for this grade of handkerchiefs.

18c each—Lot No. 3—A very fine Hemstitched Handkerchief linen just as pure as it is possible to weave it—very sheer and withal a beautiful handkerchief. Same qualities are sold by us in everyday storekeeping for 25c and 35c, and at those prices we consider them an undoubted bargain. The bargain is just broadened by the difference between irregular and regular prices.

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Thursday, July 23, 1903.

An advance of prices is not contemplated in the formation of the billet pool, which has just been effected. The purpose is simply to maintain a uniform market, to prevent bidding up under special conditions, and to discourage attempts at "bearing" should circumstances seem favorable to that practice. The demand is at present equal to the supply. The transfer of the Clairton Steel Company was the first wise move to prevent any demoralizing influences in the market, and the pool completes the protection. Thus the billet makers face another year at least of abounding prosperity, with the assurance of a stable market that will encourage the projection of new enterprises consuming finished product.

Obviously the succession to the papacy is going to cause a warm contest. The pope died on Monday. It is yet seven days to the meeting of the sacred college to elect his successor, but already the campaign has led to a vicious attack upon one cardinal candidate through his family and to two coalitions of powerful forces. The wishes of the dead prelate in regard to the succession are either not known or not recognized. Of course, the campaign is not so much among the cardinals themselves, but among their friends and supporters, who are less hampered in giving expression to their opinions. If the fight grows more bitter it will almost certainly defeat the ambitions of all the foremost leaders and result in the election of some one less known, whose abilities and policies have not aroused acute antagonism on the part of others.

W. A. Miller promises to become a national issue. The book binders in the government printing office declare that if he works there they will not. The book binders' union has the support of the printers' union. President Roosevelt, however, shows no sign of rescinding his order to reinstate the man after his discharge when that discharge was demanded by the union. Troublesome as the problem looks, we think the printers and binders will deliberate carefully before leaving the employ of the government and make an issue with the supreme authority of the land. If they make that issue they will surely be defeated and the cause of organized labor injured. They may have ample reason and good for denouncing Miller, but they have no right to say who shall or shall not be employed in government offices. That is beyond their province. They may ostracise an individual, but they may not dictate to the United States or its constituted authorities.

The practice of selling for export at less than prices charged in the home market has been defended and even eulogized in the German reichstag as a spirit of sacrifice on the part of manufacturers benefiting home industries by keeping them in operation, furnishing employment to workmen who would otherwise be thrown out of employment by the fluctuations of the home market. The policy has recently had a curious result, which, had it occurred in this country, would have caused a tremendous howl against the tariff. An English firm recently underbid German tenders for the construction of a large gasometer at Copenhagen, although the English firm proposes to use German material. They are able to do the work cheaper than German contractors, because they can purchase the material at export prices, while German contractors have to pay home market prices. The incident has aroused protests not against the general policy, but in favor of giving German contractors for foreign work the benefit of export prices.

The report that Emperor William is greatly interested in the election of Pope Leo's successor is in every way probable. He cannot but be intensely interested, as the Center party in the reichstag, standing next to the Socialists in numerical strength, is distinctly representative of the Catholic interest, so that papal policy is a political factor with which the German government must reckon, as Bismarck found somewhat to his chagrin. The governments of Austria and Italy have also direct cause for active interest in the situation as in all these countries papal influence can strongly affect the course of domestic politics. In fact, in every European country there are political problems which involve the relations of the church and state to such an extent that the character of Leo's successor is a matter of deep concern to statesmen. Whatever influences may be exerted to effect the action of the conclave, that body will doubtless act upon its own ideas as it has always done, and its action may discomfit all anticipation as it has often done before.

The revelation of military weakness made by the South African war was more than compensated for in the opinion of Englishmen by the revelation of the power of imperial patriotism. The common distress over the situation did much to draw the parts of the empire together and to engender a spirit of imperial federation which promises to have substantial political results. One such result has already been manifested by the action of the Australian commonwealth government in proposing to the Australian house of representatives the passage of what is styled the naval agreement bill. It proposes an Australian contribution of $1,000,000 a year to naval defense, on condition that the imperial government shall maintain a certain naval force on the Australian station, four of the ships to be manned by Australians and a branch of the Royal Naval Reserve to be formed in Australasia. The bill therefore aids the imperial naval service with both men and money. As the Australian station includes in its sphere of operations both the East Indian and the China stations, the British position in the east is materially strengthened.

Filtration Coming.

Though Councilman Joseph C. Wasson did not induce Mayor William B. Hays to call a special meeting of common council to consider filtration, he secured the promise of friendly assistance from the executive. Last evening Mr. Wasson had obtained 14 of the necessary 17 signatures to a call of the members of council for a special meeting next Monday, and he will have little trouble in getting the other three, as the call confines discussion to filtration and relegates the matter of the railroad ordinance to oblivion.

This meeting is called timely, and every common councilman ought to be in his seat next Monday evening prepared for action. The delay since the introduction of ordinances for construction in April, 1902, has cost a fearful price in life and suffering and at least as much in cash as the committee estimate for the installation of meters. This cost is going on at an increasing rate every day, for the typhoid lists are swelling. The filtration committee has a report to submit and no time should be lost in receiving and acting upon it.

The report of the committee will recommend another commission to "investigate," with particular reference to mechanical filters. That report is in the interest of further delays, further cost to the public and the final adoption of an inferior system of filtration. Sand filtration has been tested for more than 75 years and is satisfactory. It was adopted at Berlin in 1825, and the world has learned to look upon the absence of typhoid from that city as absolute proof of the efficiency of the system. The method of electrical precipitation is probably good. It will be tried at Berlin in connection with filtration, but it has not yet been proven by years of operation. The mechanical filters—that is, the alum water process—have met certain special conditions, but are not adapted to Allegheny river water. For these reasons the common council on Monday should emphatically table the report for more delay and take up the ordinances of April, 1902, for correction and amendment. There is money enough on hand to begin this most important work, and it ought to be begun. Other money can be provided promptly if it is needed.

Justice in Breathitt.

There is reason to believe that justice is invading Breathitt county, Kentucky, and that it may yet triumph over the reign of lawlessness and terror that has so long held sway there. The grand jury at Jackson has found true bills against two men for arson in connection with the burning of Capt. B. L. Ewen's hotel and against one for attempt to bribe Capt. Ewen not to appear as a witness in the trial of Curtis Jett and Thomas White, charged with the murder of Attorney James B. Marcum. The jury is still in session and is investigating other assassinations of recent years, with the prospect that its findings may put enough of the shooting men behind the bars, where they will be harmless, to give witnesses courage to testify.

It may be said that all of this good work began with the determination of Capt. B. L. Ewen to risk life and property in the cause of law and order. When he refused the bribe offered him to leave the county he knew he was taking a desperate chance. His person was protected by the military, but his property suffered. He is again in Jackson county, giving testimony before the grand jury, although he knew when he left Lexington that his life might pay the forfeit. His heroic example ought to be an inspiration to his neighbors to throw off the yoke of terrorism and to stand, once for all, for the return of law and justice to their community. The law is beginning to assert its power to protect peaceful citizens, and if they respond to the call of duty it will be enthroned supreme.

While the justice-loving people of other sections of the United States cannot go to Breathitt county and take the law into their own hands, they can help to uphold justice from a distance. They have done so. The contributions to the fund to make good Capt. Ewen's losses were a practical expression of sympathy with the right not wholly lost upon the Breathitt desperadoes. By making it understood that the public is ready to save from want the families of honest men who may happen to suffer for telling the truth, and influence for good is brought to bear upon Breathitt county. Kentucky is no more superior to the pressure of public opinion than Russia or Turkey, and public censure is about all there is to discourage massacre of Jews in the one and Christians in the other. Meantime, while public sentiment is directed toward Breathitt county, the public eye is upon Gov. Beckham, and the public voice is demanding that he shall afford ample military protection to court and witnesses the moment there is reason to fear a failure of police power for the purpose.

The Expense of the Hold-Up.

Ordinances providing for the letting of contracts for the construction of a sand filtration plant, as voted by the people in 1900, were sent to councils April 14, 1902. The deaths from typhoid fever since then have been 609 up to July 1, 1903. For the week ending July 11, three deaths were reported; for the week ending July 18, eight more. Total deaths from typhoid fever since the hold-up began—620. At the established ratio of typhoid fever mortality, this number of deaths implies 6,200 cases. Estimating burial expenses at $60, the average cost of medical attendance at $40, and the average wage loss at $1 50 a day for six weeks, we have the following as the typhoid fever bill for the 15 months the hold-up has now lasted:

Burial expenses, 620@$60	$ 37,200
Medical expenses, 6,200@$40	248,000
Wage loss, 6,200x36@$1 50	334,800
Total	$620,000

The computation is based on low estimates and leaves out of account the value of human life. The chairman of the joint committee of filtration, and also chairman of the sub-committee which has the ordinances, is Thomas M. Brown, 423 Fifth avenue.

The King and Ireland.

It ought to deepen the cordiality of King Edward's reception by the people of Ireland when it is known by them that just before the vote in the English parliament on the Irish land bill. Premier Balfour announced that "the king had commanded him to say that, being aware of the purpose of the bill, he placed his interests at the disposal of parliament." This is the first declaration of the king's earnest interest in the land bill, though it has been said time and again that he heartily approved the propositions advanced by Mr. Wyndham, the chief secretary for Ireland, and even that he is the real inspiration of its general purpose. The king's visit to Ireland comes, somewhat unfortunately, at a time when the people of the country are mourning the death of Pope Leo. The population of three provinces of Ireland is overwhelmingly Roman Catholic, and no other Catholics are more sincerely devoted to their religion and their religious institutions. The king, himself, is a Protestant, as a matter of course, and his Catholic subjects have not ceased to talk of the form of the coronation oath to which he was compelled to subscribe and of the refusal of the minister to propose a modification of it against a future occasion. It would not be surprising, therefore, if coldness had appeared in the manner of the reception of Edward, but thus far there has been no evidence of anything but a hospitable and friendly feeling. Doubtless the king's tactful appreciation of attendant conditions has contributed much to this. He ordered the curtailment of many observations of a festal character arranged in his honor, and further showed deference to the popular feeling in expressing himself sympathetically concerning the dead pontiff, whose demise was claiming greater attention in Ireland than his own arrival there. This attunement with the dominant popular note, while not completely identifying the king with popular feeling, placed him in a position of chivalrous accord with it that unquestionably caused Irish hearts to warm toward him. Mr. Balfour's declaration almost coincidental and made during the early stages of the king's visit to Ireland, is notice to the people of that country that it has ceased to be regarded by the royal house of England as a conquered province to be held by force of arms and by the enforcement of crimes' acts and other drastic processes. Is this attitude of the sovereign in a degree, at least, responsible for the attitude of the ministry of the moment? We have no doubt that it is antecedent to it. Premier Balfour's expressions in passing the land bill through parliament, aside from his announcement for the king, are important. He described the Irish land system, for which English parliaments are responsible and against which Irishmen have long complained, as "the worst in the world," and said that while he did not doubt "that after the agrarian settlement political controversies would remain, he thought Irishmen who were demanding a great constitutional change would not be embittered by a sense of social wrong." This new disposition of a Tory government to redress social wrongs, regardless of political demands and controversies, harmonizes so well with the king's newly disclosed attitude as almost to suggest that the initiative of the land act was the sovereign's. If the Irish come to understand it that way there will be more than a feeling of hospitable tolerance on a future visit of the royal family to the Irish kingdom. But whether or not the initiative was Edward's (a thing the British constitution does not now contemplate in practice) he has made the act entirely his own by the announcement he authorized the premier to make, and he will doubtless be given full credit for this when other matters are out of the way and the public mind is not directed from full consideration of it.

An Epidemic of Lawlessness.

Reports of lynchings have become regular features of the day's news. An epidemic of lawlessness has been developed in this country and no section is free from it. States as widely separated as Delaware, Alabama, Virginia, Illinois, Indiana, Massachusetts and Wyoming have been the scenes of mob outbreaks against the regular course of law, so that the tendency cannot be attributed to exceptional local conditions. The cause must be general in its nature.

The Atlanta Constitution points toward the true explanation when it says lynching is looked upon "more as a matter of economy than vengeance." The argument upon which the mob often acts is that "we have got the right fellow, and we know he is guilty; let's string him up and save the expense of feeding and trying him perhaps for some years to come." There is, however, more in it than that. Economical calculation is cold-blooded, and if the matter were considered from that point of view mobs would reason that it were better to allow the law to take its slow, uncertain course than to sacrifice more life in conflict with the officers of the law over the possession of the criminal. There was no sentiment of economy in the action of the Cincinnati mob which some years ago fired the court house because of the continued miscarriage of justice there. It was a wild protest against the failure of justice in its ordinary procedure. The true cause of the tendency toward lawlessness is the popular distrust of the integrity and efficiency of the regular administration of justice. Partisan police management, the prevalence of the political pull, the numerous opportunities to defeat and delay justice by appeals from one court to another and the abuse of the pardoning power have bred a popular contempt for constituted authority, so that when people are deeply stirred by some outrageous crime they are disposed to take vengeance in their own hands.

The process is essentially a reversion to the primitive type of punishment—the blood feud. There was a period in the development of legal institutions when lynch law practiced by next of kin was regular practice, and even after public justice was instituted the right of private justice was still recognized, although restricted to the immediate pursuit. If the accused escaped the chase then the regular courts claimed custody. The development of the regular procedure of justice, including trial by jury, has been a product of the growth of public authority. Public justice gradually superseded and extinguished private justice, and the marked revival of the sentiment in favor of private justice is a significant symptom of decay and degeneracy in the institutions of public justice, indicating that we are to look for the cause of the disease in the changes which have been introduced in those institutions in this country. America is the only country in the world that has elective judges, elective sheriffs, elective district attorneys, elective jury commissioners and which abandons the police power to partisan control through elective bodies. Painful and humiliating as it is to make the confession, there is more homicide and crime in America than in any other civilized country, and the regular machinery of justice inspires less respect in America than in any other civilized country. The gravity of the problem which confronts American society is not appreciated unless it is perceived that it is not one of ethics, but of organization, and the remedy is not to be found in exhortations, but in the study of our institutions so as to find ways and means of restoring their efficiency.

In connection with the effort to have Pittsburgh properly represented at the St. Louis exposition an appeal is made to Pittsburgh pride. Also to Pittsburgh's pocketbook.

It is understood that Mr. Cleveland reads Bryan's references to him with more interest than his continued silence concerning them would indicate.

The guessing contest as to who will succeed Leo is badly tangled in the press reports with information concerning the funeral arrangements.

The members of parliament who voted against the Irish land bill numbered just 20, but that is the only score to their credit.

While Atlantic City continues to be a hot town, real summer weather is not required to draw the crowds.

Advices from Wall street are to the general purport that if the worst is over there will be an improvement.

King Edward is endeavoring to convince the people of Ireland that his heart is in the right place.

The people's money, voted for the purpose, ought to be put to work against the typhoid germ.

The Eighteenth regiment's proposed new armory ought to be helped up by the people.

Allegheny continues to be excited over the report that Murphy may imitate pussy.

Admiral Cotton's fleet is headed for Portugal, and it's easy to guess the rest.

President Roosevelt's latchstring is still out and the door opens inward.

The Macedonian question seems to have lost its interrogation point.

Mr. Platt's boom for Senator Aldrich is still at the starting point.

Real blood was spilled in the last battle in Venezuela.

The eastern war clouds cause more talk than action.

Wall street clouds don't spread far.

There is business enough for all.

IN THE EYE OF FAME.

Dr. Mary Chandler of Lowell, Mass., is said to be the only woman in America who is entitled to practice both law and medicine.

The Rev. Walter E. McBath of Washington has left for Central America to act as the only Protestant missionary in Guatemala City.

Lord Iveagh has come to the help of Trinity college, in Dublin, which is sorely in need of funds to provide new laboratory equipments. Lord Iveagh follows the new fashion of giving, pledging himself for $170,000 on condition that other sums are raised. The offer holds for three years.

ANOTHER LOST CHORD.

Seated one day with my tuba
I was weary and ill at ease—
The mosquitoes were nipping at me
Like hornets and honey bees.

I know not what I was playing
Or what I was thinking then—
I am sure that it had no semblance
To anything like "Amen!"

Along with the gallinippers
That sang of the Jersey shore,
I blew in the brazen mouthpiece,
And I think that the tuba swore.

For there was no dulcet murmur
That thrilled with a sweetness vast
But out from the horn there sounded
A fearfully strident blast.

It fell on the rash mosquitoes;
It crumpled their gauzy wings;
It wilted their sharp proboscI,
And dulled all their biting stings.

It hurtled across the silence
And O, as away it sped,
It left in the wake behind it
Mosquitoes—and all were dead!

I know not were it allegro,
Andante, or forte—nor
If it were full of agamo—
Nor yet what I blew it for.

It may be that some mosquito
Will come to my ear again
And from his ecstatic buzzing
I'll copy that chord again!
—W. D. Nesbit, in Chicago Tribune.

The Quiet Observer.

ERASMUS WILSON.

Be good, sweet maid, and let who will be clever;
Do noble things, not dream them, all day long;
And so make life, death, and that vast forever,
One grand, sweet song.
—Charles Kingsley.

There was a poet for you—a poet who had common sense and took an interest in the same things that interest you.

He must have been a good fellow, and jolly, too, for it was he wrote that simple bit of a song you like so well, even if you can't sing it as well as Patti, or the great stars who have evoked vast applause by singing it before the finest audiences the world has ever afforded. It begins thus, and ends much like it begins:

"O, Mary, go and call the cattle home,
And call the cattle home,
And call the cattle home
Across the sands o' Dee."

This may not strike you as being great in any particular, but it won't die, which means that the people won't let it die. And what better evidence can there be of its fitness to live? It is one of those bits of song that are not made, but just come—come like all things else in nature, because they are needed.

This same Charles Kingsley wrote a number of very readable books, mostly novels, of which "Westward Ho" was the most popular in this country.

Have you read "Westward Ho?" It is well worth reading, and well worth keeping on hand, for there is much in it that you will want to read again and again, and to think about, and talk about. And what is more to the point, you will be all the better for thinking and talking about it, which is a whole lot more than can be said for more than one in a legion of modern novels.

He wrote "Hypatia," too, a sort of historical novel that is all right and very readable. Indeed, his writings are all readable, but he didn't write books merely to be read. He meant them to be helpful and cheerful, and to do good.

He was a preacher in England, and one of the queen's chaplains, and he was a good preacher. He visited this country in 1874, only to find that "Westward Ho" fell far short in its portrayal of the greatness, the wonders, and the splendid opportunities of the Western world. He died not long after his return to England. That he was a Christian philosopher is clearly shown in these lines, taken from Dolcino to "Margaret:"

"The world goes up and the world goes down,
And the sunshine follows the rain;
And yesterday's sneer and yesterday's frown
Can never come again."

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But, then, there are lots of good fellows, and all are waiting to make your acquaintance, and to show you a good time on your life tour. And if compelled to part company with you will join Robert Dodsley in singing:

"One kiss before we part,
Drop a tear and bid adieu;
Though we sever, my fond heart
Till we meet shall pant for you."

Or, maybe, if that isn't jolly enough to suit the ocasion, John O'Keefe will give us that famous song of his:

"A glass is good, a lass is good,
And a pipe to smoke in cold weather;
The world is good, and the people are good,
And we're all good fellows together."

And that's right—all good fellows together—So, why not get together, bring the other fellow in, and give the glad hand to the wayfarer, for, as Thomas Gibbons said full two centuries ago:

That man may last, but never lives,
Who much receives, but nothing gives;
Whom none can love, whom none can thank—
Creation's blot, creation's blank.

But if you would like something of later date, here it is, from your good friend and neighbor, Edward Everett Hale, who thus sums up our bounden duties:

"To look up and not down,
To look forward and not back,
To look out and not in, and
To lend a hand."

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"There is ever a song somewhere, my dear,
There is ever a song somewhere."

Thus sings our kind of a poet-singer, James Whitcomb Riley. Can you hear it? Do you hear it, and does it cheer you and rest you on your way? If you long for it, and listen for it, you will hear it, as James Sheridan Knowles says:

"A sound so fine, there's nothing lives
'Twixt it and silence."

There isn't anything cold or musty about the Brotherhood of Man. No spare beds that savor more of coldiew than sunshine, no paper-thin slices of bread, no primping or lisping, or putting on of airs, but a hearty, generous welcome such as Thomas O. Davis gives:

"Come in the evening, or come in the morning;
Come when you're looked for, or come without warning."

That's the way the sons and daughters of God welcome each other, and that is why their visits are always pleasant and profitable. They don't go visiting merely as an excuse for looking their neighbors over, noting what they have on their backs, on their tables, and in their houses, that they may go straightway and tell it everywhere, and tell it worse than it is, for such as these look for the worst, and see it, of course.

Such as these we have with us ever, but they are not given us as patterns to imitate, but as examples to deter us from so living that our lives will be miserable. None bid them welcome, nor none hail them farewell, but all hold their peace as they pass by, and breathe freer when they have gone.

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There are lots of good fellows, but, like poets, they are born, not made; so we have to look out for them, and when found use them. They are always ready for use. You don't even need an introduction to a good fellow, nor do you have to be dressed in full style to call one, though she belong to a full-dress set.

Good fellows are not limited to one sex. Not by any means. This would be a sorry world if they were. In fact, they may be found anywhere, and everywhere, for wherever you have a cheerful, heartsome song there you will find a good fellow, as surely as there is a partridge where "bob white" is.

The good fellows have saved the world from proving an utter failure, and whatever there is that is worth having is due to their good offices, and whatsoever of greatness this old world may achieve in ages to come it will owe to the good fellows who belong to the ages.

Your really good fellow is not a goody-goody chap, too pretty to mingle with the throng, and to fine for every-day use. Not he. Being neither sugar nor salt, he will stand a deal of rain and storm, and with courage strong he is ever ready for any fray in which the right is assailed. To him death is a secondary matter when to live would be to play the coward.

"Be of good comfort, Master Ridley," Latimer cried as the flames crackled around him. "Play the man! We shall this day light such a candle, by God's grace, in England as, I trust, shall never be put out."

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We sometimes call those good fellows who have money to spend and spend it freely, entertain with big dinners and bigger suppers, dress fine and talk loud.

These are sports primarily; also secondly, and thirdly, and lastly, with here and there an exception. The good fellow has a better quality of sense than that which leads, or even permits, a man to act the fool in any such fashion. He is more apt to follow the advice given by wise Polonius to his son Laertes, who was on the point of starting out to see the world, and the sights.

"Give every man thy ear, but few thy voice;
Take each man's censure, but reserve thy judgment.
Costly thy habit as thy purse can buy,
But not expressed in fancy; rich, not gaudy;
For the apparel oft proclaims the man."
—Hamlet.

While the good fellow always tries to look well he will not often be found traveling in the same class with those who take it that dress makes the man; but you will ever find him striving to live according to the further advice of good Polonius:

"This, above all: to thine own self be true,
And it must follow, as the night the day,
Thou canst not then be false to any man."

Ah, when shall all men's good
Be each man's rule, and universal peace,
Like a shaft of light across the land,
And like a lane of beams athwart the sea,
Thro' all the circle of the golden year?"
—Tennyson.

Talked of in New York

GEORGE C. JENKS.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 22.—According to the prospects of the new women's daily paper in New York, whose first number will appear on November 2, the everlasting servant girl problem will have a chance to solve itself. The new journal will be a paper "of, for and by women." Among several attractive features spoken of today by its business manager, Hayden Talbot, it will contain an "employment department." Its aim will be to furnish reliable servants, whose references will have been fully investigated and guaranteed before their advertisements may appear in the help wanted column. To assist in making the servant department satisfactory a fund will be set aside for the award of prizes to those servants who remain for a stated length of time in the service of one employer and to those servants who are declared by their employers to be entirely satisfactory. This feature alone, if it can be carried out successfully, will make the new women's paper invaluable to a majority of its subscribers. It will be edited entirely by women and a corps of 25 newspaper women of experience and skill will gather the news. Then there will be many women contributors whose names are well known in literature. The mechanical department will be in the hands of men and there will be a few office boys. The business manager, as already indicated, will be a man. There will be nothing frivolous about the new journal. It has plenty of money behind it, and it will be conducted on serious and high moral lines. There will be eight six-column pages, and the white paper used will be better than that ordinarily employed for a daily newspaper. The price of each issue will be one cent. It will be published every day except Sundays.

Courtesies on the Seas.

As the White Star liner Oceanic came into New York harbor today it passed the two Shamrocks and Sir Thomas Lipton's Erin going out. The big steamer saluted the fleet and the salute was returned. On board the Oceanic were Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., among other passengers, and they waved their handkerchiefs to Sir Thomas, who was on the bridge of the Erin.

Big Demand for Cut Flowers.

That there is a great deal of money in selling cut flowers and plants in New York is exemplified in the case of a well-known Broadway florist. He opened a small store on the main thoroughfare not so many years ago. He sold fresh blossoms, was attentive, and always had or procured any unusual flower or plant that might be demanded. He made his way with the smart set. It got to be a common remark, when difficulty had been experienced in getting certain plants, to say, "Oh, call up ——— by telephone; he will be sure to have them." And he always had what was wanted. His store is in a block the whole of which above the street is occupied by an immense hotel which used to be exceedingly popular with theatrical people and is still patronized by them to some extent, although it is a little below the theatrical Rialto in these days. The florist bought a slice of the property after a year or two of business; then he got another chunk, and another, and another, until now he owns the whole block, hotel and all. Yes, there is money in flowers—particularly when you have the confidence of the swagger people of upper Fifth avenue.

Praying for Repose of Pope Leo.

All the Roman Catholic churches in New York have been more numerously attended than in any ordinary day for years. Prayers for the repose of the soul of the dead pontiff have been offered by many thousands before the various altars in the city, and in some of the churches there has not been pew room for all that have attended.

Regeneration of a Bad Neighborhood.

Praiseworthy attempts to redeem the character of streets in the Tenderloin which used to give the police a great deal of work can be noted all along upper Broadway. One of the worst blocks was that between Broadway and Sixth avenue on the south side of Twenty-ninth street. It was in this block that the Chinese restaurant used to be where a man was killed by a waiter and burned in a furnace, and nearly every house in the block was a "Turkish smoking parlor," a "seraglio" or a common ordinary boozing den. The murder just referred to finished the business in that neighborhood, and the police closed all the disreputable resorts along that part of Twenty-ninth street. Most of them have resolved themselves into business houses or decent restaurants, while at the corner of Sixth avenue is a respectable cafe where business is conducted according to the strictest construction of the Raines law. Anyone may walk along that street at any time of the day or night without being in more danger from attack by thugs of either sex than must be expected in any part of the Tenderloin.

Another Good Street Cleaning Job.

Another street which has become entirely respectable in the last year is Thirty-fifth, between Broadway and Seventh avenue. There were several dives in the block, of which the notorious Tivoli was the most flagrant example. Opposite, where Macy's big department store is now, there were a number of houses which, while not flaunting openly their character, were always under the watchful eye of the police. Macy's takes up the entire block on one side, while on the other there are business places and the new Sturtevant hotel, managed by Frank Bang, who was also the proprietor of the old Sturtevant in Broadway for many years. Thirty-fifth street, with the Herald Square theater at the corner, is now a decent thoroughfare for the first time in 10 years.

Bear Element Stays Its Hand.

Better feeling was apparent in the stock market today. It showed decided strength at the opening, which continued during most of the day. The weakness of United States Steel shares yesterday seemed to have disappeared and the bears kept their hands off. Perhaps if this were fall instead of summer there would be more excitement in the street than is apparent. The disposition seems to be to take everything philosophically.

Conjectures About "Taxpayer" Buildings.

One cannot help speculating on the purpose of keeping some of the low buildings along Broadway on sites worth millions of dollars when skyscrapers could be erected which most likely would bring in good revenue. The small buildings are known as "taxpayers," giving just about enough to pay taxes on them, and the explanation usually made by the managers are that they will come into the possession of boys and girls who are minors at present. In many cases this statement was made nearly 20 years ago, and inquisitive persons are wondering when these minor heirs will reach manhood and womanhood and have the legal right to enter into their inheritance.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria.
W. W. Keech.

Manhattan.
J. Colwell.

Astor.
G. J. Higby.
H. T. Keale.
D. Lewis.
J. McLaughlin.
J. J. Manley.
J. R. Sebring.
E. F. Pennell.
Miss V. B. Wright.

Metropolitan.
E. J. McCullough.

Holland.
Edward Derr.
W. N. Shaw.
Mrs. Shaw.
Miss Frew.
J. H. Sullivan.
C. L. Miller.
Dr. J. Wolf.
Mrs. Wolf.
D. H. Cable.

Herald Square.
F. Synestedt.
S. S. Taylor.
W. H. Fee.
Mrs. Eller.

Empire.
A. E. Buemelan.
J. R. Skage.

Ashland.
R. D. Brindle.

St. Denis.
F. R. Ferree.
Mrs. Ferree.

Imperial.
W. E. McCulloch.
C. A. Smith.
F. B. Brobst.
Mrs. Brobst.
J. F. Walsh.
W. J. A. Kennedy.
Ben Hay.

Darlington.
O. A. Conrad.
C. M. Graham.
Mrs. Graham.

Continental.
L. L. Witting.
Mrs. Witting.

Union Square.
S. Hirsch.

Bartholdi.
J. B. Heine.
J. O. Winstead.
Mrs. Winstead.

Hoffman.
Mrs. R. T. Martin.
O. C. Hall.

Fifth Avenue.
Miss Nettie Jackson.
Mabel E. Carrer.
Helen Clarke.
Miss M. D. Clarke.

Broadway Central.
J. L. Menner.
R. A. Bull.
H. B. Barker.
F. Wiedstock.
C. S. Lynn.
Mrs. Lynn.
Frank Donnaly.
W. A. Ryan.

Getting Used to It.

The assertion that Ohio will furnish the Republican candidate for vice president in 1904 will not surprise anybody.—Boston Globe.

Political Drift.

Some of the Democratic brethren are not pleased with Mr. Bryan's recent speech at Chicago. The Washington Post (Ind. Dem.) is disposed to contrast it with the speech that made Bryan famous. It says: "If Mr. Bryan patronizes a clippings bureau or looks over the editorial pages of the exchanges in the office of his Commoner, he must be profoundly impressed by the tone of newspaper comment on his Chicago speech of last Saturday. * * * 'Confidence is a plant of slow growth,' we are assured by a high authority. Democracy's confidence in Mr. Bryan was an exception to that rule. It sprang up almost as rapidly as a meteor flashes out of darkness. A single speech created it. Its demolition cannot be desired by those who have supported Mr. Bryan. Is he determined to demolish it?"

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Senator Platt's Aldrich boom does not "take." The Kansas City Journal (Rep.) says: "Senator Platt of New York is said to favor Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island for the Republican nomination for vice president. Senator Platt has been quite a vice president maker. It was mainly because of his persistent efforts that Mr. Roosevelt was nominated. He also had a big finger in the nomination of Mr. Hobart and Mr. Morton. But if Senator Platt attempts to get Senator Aldrich nominated he is likely to fail."

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Another paper of the middle west, the Chicago Inter-Ocean (Rep.), says: "Senator Platt's suggestion of the Hon. Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island as the Republican candidate for the vice presidency must be regarded as foolish now, and certain to become dangerous if pressed. * * * With all his talents and good qualities—and they are many—and with all his public services—and they are noteworthy—the Hon. Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island as a vice presidential candidate is plainly impossible."

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The Hon. Joseph G. Cannon has departed from Washington for New York, and the Washington Post (Ind. Dem.) says of him: "The particular road which 'Uncle Joe' Cannon intends to travel this week after reaching New York is the subject of keen local speculation. The current reports have it that Mr. Cannon will complacently select the route to Oyster Bay, that he will go thither with a contrite heart as to matters financial, ready to accept the light as it is presented to him by Mr. Roosevelt. This in spite of his straightout talk a few weeks ago that it required more than three or four senators to enact a financial bill, and that there was no crying need for 'rubber currency' legislation. But whether or not all these speculations be true, Mr. Cannon, free to speak his mind, has always been a man of compromise."

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One important senatorial campaign is in full swing during the hot summer months—that of Senator Hernando De Soto Money of Mississippi. He and Gov. Longino are fighting it out on the hustings in that far southern state, and the final vote will be taken August 6 to determine whether Mr. Money shall continue his honorable career in Washington or whether Gov. Longino will come as a new man, unfamiliar with the transaction of public business at the capitol, to supplant him.

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Replying to some caustic comment in Mr. Bryan's Commoner, the Nashville American (Dem.) says: "Now that even former worshippers do not scruple to kick Bryan downstairs, the American is disposed to deal with him as if would with a political tramp who has seen better days. The American takes no notice of cheap politicians or of barking newspapers that cannot bite. The once 'Peerless Leader' has degenerated into an impotent kicker and a cheap, common scold to whom nobody who is anybody pays any attention. As for the Commoner, Hostetter's Almanac has a larger circulation and more influence."

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"When men begin to argue in favor of mob violence, and in favor of organized and open defiance of the law, the authorities, and the institutions of the country, then it is time to inquire into our system of doing or of not doing things according to law," reasons the Galveston News (Dem.). "But the trouble can be corrected, and in the end the trouble will be corrected, without abandoning or upsetting the present system of carrying out the law and performing the public service. In time the lawmaking habit will be repudiated by the people, and the rule of magnifying the law will become general. The sooner public opinion is turned toward these higher aims the sooner will the country be freed from the curse of organized violators and the anarchy which is ready to follow in its wake."

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Referring to Senator Thomas Platt's boom for Senator Nelson W. Aldrich for vice president, the Washington Star (Ind. Rep.) details three reasons why Mr. Aldrich will not do, beginning with the question of locality. It concludes as follows: "Mr. Platt is in a cool place at the seaside and runs no risk in talking politics in midsummer. He should guess again."

Wants Better Emsworth Roads.

To the Editor of The Gazette:

I would like to call your attention and that of the officers and members of the Emsworth borough council to the abominable condition of the roads in the borough. This applies especially to the Beaver road, the main thoroughfare, and to that portion of the Lowries run road in the borough limits from Shannon's store to the northern boundary line. The former is much used by horsemen and automobile drivers passing between the cities and the Sewickley valley, but the road has been kept in such a horrible condition that it is almost unsafe for use. There are several small waterways covered with planks, and at least one has a hole in it that is liable to cripple a horse any time. The Lowries run road traverses a beautiful piece of territory that affords a most pleasureable trip; its diverging forks reach Mt. Nebo, Sewickley, Perrysville plank road, and the scenic country comprising Franklin township. Any of these routes afford an enjoyable trip under proper conditions, but imagine the state of mind of the traveler as his runabout, surrey or auto goes plowing and lurching through the chuck holes, ruts and apparently bottomless pits in Emsworth, threatening to dish a wheel or burst a pneumatic, then to come up all standing against rocks concealed in what looks like a continuation of one of the numerous mudholes.

If these conditions existed in a township, one would not be much surprised, as the average road supervisor is not much impressed with the duties of his position, apparently taking the matter as a joke. In fact, Kilbuck township a year or two since elected six supervisors in a short period, each refusing to serve. The country roads at present, however, are in as good condition as their nature and the weather permit, the whole trouble being in an up-to-date borough with a complete list of officials, and something ought to be done to get them to take a little interest in maintaining the thoroughfares in their bailiwick. The efforts of your paper have brought about considerable improvement in the trolley service, and you can do the same for those who use the roads through Emsworth for pleasure or profit.

ONE OF THE SUFFERERS.

Emsworth, July 22.

IT IS TO SMILE.

What! Grover getting on in years
And too passe? Oh, fudge!
He's no sick number—calm your fears—
Not it the stork's a judge.
—Chicago News.

"What is heart failure, pa?"

"The usual result of trying to fill a heart flush, my son!"—Town Topics.

"He says he didn't enjoy his first week at the seashore, it was so lonesome."

"Oh, I suppose it took people several days to find out that he had money."—Philadelphia Bullet

FLAG ON PITTSBURGH'S CITY HALL AT HALF-MAST IN HONOR OF POPE LEO

Out of respect for the death of Pope Leo the flag on the Pittsburgh city hall has been raised at half-mast. It had been stated that the flag had been half-masted by the order of Mayor William B. Hays, but when seen last night the mayor refused to affirm or deny this report.

The flag was put at half-mast Tuesday night, and when persons went by yesterday they wondered whether the flag had been put there in honor of Pope Leo or whether it was still raised in memory of Ex-Recorder J. O. Brown. The watchman at city hall says William Reynolds, the janitor, acting under orders, had the flag raised at half-mast.

The flag that had been raised at half-mast in honor of the late recorder was taken down at the end of the customary 30 days. The flag at present on the staff is a new one, having been purchased for the Fourth of July.

STORM BATTERS ATLANTIC CITY CAUSING A LOSS OF $250,000

All Places of Amusement Compelled to Close by Fury of the Gale.

PUBLIC SERVICE IS STOPPED

Trolley, Telegraph and Telephone Lines Put Out of Business — Theatrical Costumes and Stage Properties Ruined. Gazette Bureau Also Suffers.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Young's Ocean Pier,
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 22.

One of the worst storms that ever visited this resort struck here with terrific force at 5:45 o'clock this afternoon. The entire city was absolutely dead. Not a performance of any nature was given tonight. Young's pier was a practical wreck as the fierce rain beat in through cracks and crevices that had always been considered water tight.

S. S. Shubert and Nixon & Zimmerman will be heavy losers, as a large portion of the costumes of "A Chinese Honeymoon" have been ruined by the water. The dressing rooms were flooded and the stage was a pool of water. Miller & Kaufman whose stock company is playing the "Resurrection" this week, are also heavy losers, for many valuable costumes have been utterly destroyed and properties are a mass of paper pulp.

The interior furnishings of the Auditorium pier have also suffered and the Steel pier was partially wrecked and set on fire twice by the burning out of feed wires. Young's pier was abandoned and the electric current shut off, at the suggestion of the insurance people.

The bureau of The Pittsburgh Gazette was partly wrecked. The Bijou theater, Doyle's pavilion and the Inlet pavilion were all shut down. Trolley cars stopped running and the crews abandoned them as it was impossible to touch any portion of them without danger of electrocution. The telephone and messenger services were crippled with the first bolt of lightning and many of the local lines and all the long distance lines were put completely out of commission. The train service on both roads was hampered to such a degree that it became a mooted question as to whether any mails would get out to Philadelphia. Many of the streets of the city were rushing rivers and at several points on Atlantic avenue near the Inlet small boats were pressed into service to get passengers across.

Hackmen reaped a harvest. They charged $5 for a ride that ordinarily can be had for 10 cents. Telegraph poles, advertising signs, flag poles, small buildings and other structures were blown down and in many cases pedestrians were seriously injured by falling timbers and sheet iron cornices. Fire broke out in many parts of the city. In spite of the torrents of rain, the extinguishing of the various blazes was accomplished with difficulty. The total damage is estimated at $250,000. Three inches of rain fell and the wind blew 56 miles an hour.

Old Resident Passes Away.

Harry Huhn, aged 71 years, the veteran boathouse keeper and one of the best-known old time residents of this city, died at the Atlantic City hospital last night from a complication of diseases. Mr. Huhn was known for many years as a figure of considerable prominence in political circles. At one time he was clerk of the house of representatives of the Pennsylvania state legislature.

Trolley Absorption Rumored.

A persistent rumor has been going the rounds that the Atlantic City and Suburban Traction Company, which is constructing a trolley line between this city and the shore towns, will be absorbed by the Pennsylvania railroad. Denials have been made on the part of both corporations. The rumor gained fresh impetus because the suburban company was permitted to cross the tracks of the trolley line operated by the Pennsylvania Company at Florida avenue, without opposition.

At the Jewish Chautauqua.

Dr. E. G. Hirsch, a prominent Hebrew speaker of Chicago, delivered an address before the Jewish Chautauqua this morning on the topic "Fundamental Questions of Judaism." Dr. Hirsch plunged deeply into an explanation of the primary underlying principle of Judaism, enumerating the questions that arose to confront professors of that faith, both in the past and at present. He interspersed his discussion of the subject with frequent historical and biblical allusions. Tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock will be the opening of the course in "Applied Philanthropy." Dr. Kohler will discuss "Historical Development of Jewish Charity."

Pleasant Day in the Surf.

The two great divisions in the surf are the flannel and silk bathers. The strand from end to end is their common field. They divide according to their desire to bathe in spots were there is no danger of rubbing shoulders together or in places where it is impossible to fail without being caught or supported in the topple brought about by the onslaught of the breakers. Some of the flannel contingent, who rule by a great majority, seek the isolated sections as well as the silk robed plungers in the whitecaps, while the latter frequently prefer the company of the crowd to the separated cubicles. The brilliant weather, with a raise in the mercury today, brought out both elements in the surf. The surf curled heavily and made a battle tiring, but the temperature of the water was sufficiently pleasant, registering 76 degrees, to make the sport brisk and exhilarating.

Greediness Kills a Shark.

An unusual sight was presented in the large net on Youngs Pier yesterday, when it was hauled in in the morning. The men found a mammoth shark which had killed itself because of its greed. The shark had been caught in the meshes over night, together with a ton or more of other fish, including a large drum. The shark, feeling hungry, tried to swallow the 20-pound drumfish in one gulp. It stuck in his throat and choked him to death.

Pittsburghers at the Hotels.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the various hotels:

BREXTON.
Mrs. Mary Jones, Miss Cooper.
BOWKERS.
Harry Burrows.
CHETWOODE.
Mrs. H. Beck.
Miss M. Huff.
COLEMAN.
Thomas Turner, Miss Turner.
CONQUERORS.
George Coates, Eva Marcus.
EDEN HALL.
Della Adams.
FREDONIA.
Miss Hazelton, Harry Hazel.
LA TOURAINE.
J. M. Dodds, Mrs. Dodds.
ARGYLL LODGE
John Dalley, Mrs. Dalley.
John H. Dalley, H. F. Petzon, Mrs. Petzon, Miss Petzon.
BELMONT.
A. Draw, Mrs. Draw, Miss J. Noble.
BORTON.
J. S. Houseman.
CHESTERLYNN
Theodore Buchestein.
CHALFONTE.
S. C. Graham, Mrs. Graham, Allen Graham.
DENNIS.
Mrs. A. C. Breitwiser, Miss Bessie Anderson.
KILLCOURSE.
Mr. Boardman.
MORRIS.
Mr. Henry, Miss Reynolds.
MERVINE.
Mrs. Seal and son.
ROSSMORE.
R. Colman, Francis Seyler.
RIO GRANDE.
Miss M. Wood, C. Henry.
SILVERTON.
Samuel Daniels, John Diggle.
STRAND.
Mrs. M. A. Hogue, Mrs. H. Disharo.
SAN JOSE
Victory Petry, William Farr.
WORTHINGTON.
George Shaffer, Mrs. Shaffer.
CHELTENHAM.
Conrad Day, Arthur Busby.
DUQUESNE.
Ben Hendricks, Mr. Long.
YOUNGS.
Miss Harris, P. Monroe.
BRADDOCK.
Thomas McCort, Lewis Hauer.
PELHAM.
Peter Young Kemple, Henry Ritz.
HAINES.
Mrs. Mary Haines, Mr. Everett.
ALTAMONT - CRAIG HALL.
Miss C. Brockett.
COLWYN.
T. Francis Husson.
GRAND CENTRAL.
S. L. Brown, Mrs. Brown, Harry Black.
HADDON HALL.
Mrs. G. Wilson, Miss A. Wilson.
HYGEIA.
A. Knott.
HOLMHURST.
W. Oetting, Mrs. Oetting.
HOWARD HOUSE.
Mrs. Elizabeth Patterson.
JEFFERSON.
William Hartman.
KENTUCKY.
Nellie Shaw, Dr. R. A. Chandler, Mrs. C. A. Chandler, R. G. Jones, Frank M. Collins.
MALATESTAS.
J. M. Seabright, J. E. Richards.
NORMANDIE.
Miss B. Croft, A. J. Henry, L. Brown, George Steele, Charles Burk.
CARLETON HALL.
Kathryn Morris.
PALMER.
James Patrick.
ROBBINS.
Justin Fierst, Mrs. Fierst, Miss Irene Fierst, Miss Marie Fierst.
WELLINGTON.
J. McMahon, Mrs. McMahon.

LAST DAYS OF POMPEII.

Magnificent Spectacle to Be Presented by Pain in the Exposition Park.

As the spectator enters the huge amphitheater in which Pain's "Last Days of Pompeii" is to be given, July 27, a fascinating scene will meet the gaze. Directly in front lies picturesque Pompeii, covering five acres of ground, but in appearance one seems to be looking away off in the distance for miles, so perfect is the perspective of the scenic artists. Treacherous Mt. Vesuvius looms high in the background, while in the foreground massive real temples, palaces, bath houses and triumphal arches stand out in imposing relief. Directly in front of this mimic city is a large stage upon which the sensational and thrilling acrobatic and aerial feats are performed.

In the "fire dance of Isis" a battery of powerful electric stereopticons are used to secure effects, and earlier in the evening these same machines are brought into play in producing a beautiful effect upon the entire scene. This pretty play upon the entire spectacle continues until a sudden blare of music from the band and flashing up of the lights announces the opening of the big fete.

After the eruption of Vesuvius and the destruction of Pompeii a beautiful display of modern fireworks will terminate each night's performance.

CRUSADE IS KEPT UP.

Two More Arrests Made of Men Employed at Kennywood Park.

The suit entered against the ministers of Homestead and Braddock by the Steeplechase Amusement Company at Kennywood has not produced any effect upon the prosecutors of original suits. Two arrests were made yesterday on information secured Sunday and the accused will have a hearing before Justice J. Clyde Miller tomorrow evening. George Dodge and John Smith are the victims. The Rev. W. C. Weaver of the Methodist Episcopal church said today that they would proceed exactly as if the suits had not been entered against them and await the hearing of the counter-charges in court. He said arrests would again be made next Sunday should the park continue to operate on that day.

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HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

DIED.

AIKEN—On Wednesday, July 22, 1903, at 12:30 p. m., ROSIE AIKEN, aged 43 years. Funeral from the residence of her father, Mrs. J. N. Hinchberger, 1901 Webster avenue, on Saturday, July 25, at 8:30 a. m. High mass of requiem at St. Bridget's church at 9 a. m. Interment private.

LILLEY—On Wednesday, July 22, 1903, at 5 a. m., at Atlantic City, N. J., ANNIE LIVINGSTON, wife of William C. Lilley.

Funeral services at the residence, No. 382 South Highland avenue, East End. Time will be announced later.

MEIK—On Monday, July 20, 1903, at 9 p. m., DANIEL MEIK, in his 75th year.

Funeral from his late residence, 522 Osceola street, on Thursday at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

RAAB—On Tuesday, July 21, 1903, at 3:40 a. m., ALBERT RAAB, son of Michael Raab, aged 28 years, 4 months and 29 days.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 814 Wood street, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

RIPPER—At her home in Evans City, Pa., on Tuesday, July 21, MISS BERTHA M. RIPPER, daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. J. A. Ripper, aged 21 years, 1 month and 13 days.

Funeral on Thursday at 2 p. m. Services in St. Peter's Lutheran church by the Rev. J. G. Butz of Zellenople (German) and Rev. C. J. Streich, her pastor (English).

WALSH—On Wednesday, July 22, 1903, at 9 a. m., WILLIAM, JR., son of William and Mary Walsh (nee White), aged 18 years, 2 months, 21 days.

Funeral from his parents' residence, 523 Brownsville avenue, South Side, on Friday morning at 8:15 o'clock. High mass at St. John's church, Fourteenth street, South Side, at 9. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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Cleveland and Buffalo	* 8:30 am	† 7:35 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 8:30 am	† 7:35 pm
Akron and Cleveland	* 8:30 am	† 1:35 pm
Alliance and Wooster	* 8:35 am	† 8:56 pm
Jamestown and Youngstown	* 8:35 am	† 8:56 pm
Ohio Valley Express	* 8:45 am	* 8:50 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 7:00 am	* 8:50 pm
Toledo and Detroit	* 8:00 am	* 8:50 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 8:30 am	* 7:40 pm
The Forest City Special	* 8:00 am	* 7:40 pm
Akron and Cleveland	* 8:00 am	* 8:50 pm
Erie, Mercer and Oil City	* 8:00 am	*10:55 am
New Castle and Jamestown	* 8:05 am	* 8:50 pm
New Castle and Ashtabula	* 8:05 am	* 8:50 pm
Columbus and Chicago	*12:25 pm	* 3:00 pm
Youngstown and Jamestown	*12:30 pm	* 8:30 am
New Castle and Ashtabula	*12:30 pm	* 8:30 am
Cleveland and Buffalo	* 1:30 pm	* 8:30 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 3:10 pm	* 8:20 am
Chicago Limited	* 3:10 pm	* 8:20 am
The St. Louis Limited	* 3:10 pm	* 8:20 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 3:10 pm	* 8:20 am
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 3:20 pm	* 8:50 am
Toledo and Detroit	* 3:20 pm	* 8:50 am
Beaver Falls and New Castle	*12:30 pm	* 8:50 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 4:10 pm	* 8:50 am
The Cleveland Special	* 4:10 pm	* 8:50 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 4:10 pm	* 8:50 am
New Castle and Jamestown	* 4:30 pm	* 8:50 am
New Castle and Ashtabula	* 4:30 pm	* 8:50 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 7:25 pm	* 8:50 am
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The St. Louis Limited	* 7:25 pm	* 8:50 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 8:10 pm	* 8:50 am
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 8:10 pm	* 8:50 am
Toledo and Detroit	* 8:10 pm	* 8:50 am
Beaver Falls and New Castle	*10:30 pm	* 8:50 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 8:10 pm	* 8:50 am

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Leave for Steubenville, *5:00 a. m., 12:30 a. m., 12:00 p. m., 6:10 p. m., 10:55 p. m., 11:35 p. m.

Leave for Belmont, *5:45 a. m., 12:30 p. m.

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Central Time. | Depart. | Arrive.

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Cleveland "Flyer"	* 8:30 am	* 6:30 pm
Youngst'n & Cleve'd Mail	* 8:30 am	* 4:30 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	* 8:25 am	† 7:15 pm
Lake Chautqua Pass. Line	*12:00 pm	* 6:30 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	* 1:30 pm	* 9:30 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex	* 3:30 pm	*12:50 pm
Boston Special	* 5:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Cleve'd & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6:00 pm	*11:15 am
Chicago Limited	* 6:00 pm	*11:15 am
Akron & Cleveland Ex	*10:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Youngstown Accommoda'n	* 5:25 pm	* 9:00 am
Beaver Valley Accom	* 9:00 am	* 4:30 pm
Beaver Falls Accom	* 4:30 pm	† 9:30 am
West Pittsburgh Accom	†12:10 pm	† 1:15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom	* 3:30 pm	†12:30 pm
New Castle Express	* 4:15 pm	* 9:30 am
Ohio Valley Express	* 4:45 pm	* 8:50 pm

Fayette City Accom ..... † 6:10 am † 7:30 am
Fayette C. & N. Haven Ex* ..... * 8:00 am * 8:00 am
McKeesp't & Fayette City ..... †12:50 am †12:45 pm
Fayette City & New Haven ..... † 4:30 pm † 6:00 pm
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Cumberland Accom	* 6:40 am	* 9:25 pm
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleas	* 6:50 am	† 2:45 pm
Wash., Balt. & N. York	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
Connells., Un'tn & Point	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
Cumb., Wash. & Balt	* 1:00 pm	* 2:45 pm
West Newton Accom	* 9:15 am	* 8:00 am
Con'lv., Un'tn, Morgant	† 1:00 pm	†10:00 am
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleas	† 1:30 pm	† 2:45 pm
Connellsville Accom	* 4:00 pm	† 8:50 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg	5:00 pm	12:50 pm
Grafton, Weston		
Philadelphia and New York (Duquesne Limi)	* 6:30 pm	* 9:15 am
Wash., Balt. & Phila	* 9:00 pm	* 7:00 am

LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.

Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac	* 7:10 am	*10:25 am
Cin., Chic. & St. L. Ex	* 8:00 am	* 6:30 pm
Wsh., Canons. & Cin. Ac	* 1:05 pm	* 4:55 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel'g	* 3:35 pm	* 6:30 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wsh. Ac	* 5:35 pm	* 8:45 am
Cin., Chic. & St. L. Ex	* 7:40 pm	* 7:40 pm

LINES WEST VIA AKRON.

Cleve., Akron & Youngst	* 1:50 am	* 5:15 am
Chicago and Cleveland	* 1:50 am	* 12:15 pm
Chicago Limited	* 8:05 pm	* 7:40 am

(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)

Butler	† 7:30 am	† 7:56 am
Butler, Foxburg	† 8:15 am	† 9:05 pm
Butler, Con'ot Lake, Erie	† 8:15 am	† 6:05 pm
Butler	†10:45 am	† 9:40 am
Butler, Con'ot Lake, Erie	† 1:15 pm	† 9:40 am
Butler, Clarion, Greenv	† 3:10 pm	† 6:05 pm
Butler, Clarion, Greenv	† 3:10 pm	†10:36 am
Ellwood, New Castle	† 5:00 pm	† 9:45 am
Butler	† 6:15 pm	† 9:40 am
Ellwood, New Castle and Foxburg	† 6:25 pm	† 9:40 am

FORD STANDS FOR THE OPEN DOOR

County Chairman Says Every Republican Will Have Voice in Making Nominations.

SENATOR QUAY IN THE CITY

Following His Visit Fred W. Edwards Has Long Conference With Mr. Ford and Both Make Statements—Bigelow Wants to Keep Councils.

Harmony between the Republicans and the Citizens is yet unrealized, but is still under consideration, and the leaders are hopeful that definite results from the negotiations in progress will be shortly obtained. The most important development yesterday was the visit of Senator M. S. Quay, who spent several hours in the city. He returned to Beaver shortly after 1 o'clock in the afternoon and passed through the city again last night on his way to Atlantic City.

Senator Quay saw a number of the political leaders while in the city, but was not communicative on the subject of politics. He said he was not meddling in local politics and was in the city on business alone. Among those who saw him yesterday were Thomas S. Bigelow, James F. Burke and Fred W. Edwards. Mr. Bigelow had a talk with the senator at the Allegheny National bank for some time. Mr. Bigelow insisted that he had not talked politics with the Beaver statesman.

After seeing Senator Quay, Fred W. Edwards had a long conference with Republican County Chairman Thomas J. Ford in the latter's office in the Frick building. Mr. Edwards is anxious for harmony between the Republican factions and went over the matter in detail with Chairman Ford.

In the presence of Mr. Edwards Chairman Ford dictated a statement to the effect that his motto was the "open door" policy, and that the selection of county candidates would be left to the Republican electors at the primaries. He said there would be no slate and that the nominations would be solely in the hands of the rank and file of the party. His statement was as follows:

"The Republican county committee adopted rules which open the way for every Republican in the county to participate in the Republican primaries and to express his opinion in respect to Republican policies."

Chairman Ford explained that he meant "candidates" by the term "policies." He said the policies would be represented by the candidates and that every man would have a chance to express his choice.

Mr. Edwards also dictated a statement in favor of harmony and denying published stories that ex-Senator William Flinn had been treating and hold conferences with Thomas S. Bigelow. Mr. Edwards' statement was as follows:

"It is not true that a recent any conference participated in by Mr. Flinn and other leaders on our side and by Mr. Bigelow and other leaders on the other side, either yesterday or at any time since this harmony talk began, nor is it true that any such conference was held.

"As to harmony, I believe that my opinion is in accord with a majority of the sensible leaders and workers of all factions, that is, harmony should be welcomed, be very important, and can be arranged on an honorable basis and in such a manner as will put an end to senseless hostilities within the party's ranks and promote in general the welfare of the Republican party, regardless of factions."

Charles A. Muehlbronner, secretary of the county committee, said he was in favor of the "open door" to all Republicans who wish to come back into the party and that none but Republicans would be given county nominations.

Murry A. Verner and Thomas S. Bigelow also denied yesterday that they had participated in any conference with William Flinn.

County Chairman Ford and James F. Burke also have had a conference with Mr. Verner yesterday morning in the Farmers National bank building. Mr. Ford did not dispute this report.

One of the political leaders yesterday declared that Clarence Burleigh was interfering with harmony arrangements by setting up delegates for William A. Blakeley for district attorney.

It was claimed yesterday by a prominent Republican councilman that Thomas S. Bigelow had demanded that he be given the right to name a majority of the councilmanic candidates next February, and that Mr. Bigelow was more anxious to retain control of councils than he was to keep the city and county patronage. The councilman, who is authority for this statement, said the Republicans were not disposed to concede this right to Mr. Bigelow.

County Secretary Muehlbronner said yesterday that he took no stock in the stories that former Recorder John R. Murphy, of Allegheny would take a place in Mayor James G. Wyman's cabinet.

"In the first place, Mr. Murphy is well fixed financially, and in the second place he is not in the best of health," said Mr. Muehlbronner. "A third reason is he would hardly accept a subordinate position under the man whom he has bitterly fought in late years."

Mr. Muehlbronner said that it was understood that the sheriffalty should go to Allegheny, but that no right man for the place had not been found yet.

"A number of persons have been suggested, and several good men whom we would like to get won't take the nomination, because they don't like to give up their business for a political position."

VERDI'S GREATEST WORK.

"Il Trovatore" to Be Given in Duquesne Garden — Novel Features at Traction Parks.

Verdi's greatest and most popular opera, "Il Trovatore," will be given at the Duquesne garden next week, commencing Monday evening, and with the usual matinee. In presenting this tuneful work great care has been taken to give it the best stage environment and special electrical effects.

Miss Mary Carrington, who is a particular favorite in Pittsburgh, and who made a telling impression last season in this same opera, will sing the role of Leonora; Mr. Harry Davies, that of Manrico; Mr. Jack Raffael, the Count de Luna; John M. Martin, Ferrando, Miss Josephine Bartlett, Azchuna, William Willis, Ruiis, Miss Margaret Robinson, Inez.

Good fellowship will reign supreme at Calhoun next Saturday, and in fact all the next two weeks, for the annual encampment of the Knights of Pythias of Western Pennsylvania will open on that day at the park. The Sunday bills at all the parks include band concerts, with special features, in addition to an address by Carrie Nation at Calhoun.

The free vaudeville bill that was to have been at Oakwood next week will be put on at Calhoun, so that the pretty resort will have vaudeville afternoon and evening for the next two weeks, at least, and possibly longer. Consor's dog circus will head the bill and these dogs are really a troupe of the most clever canines seen in this region for many a day. Frank H. Hoy's pantomime marionettes, which made such a decided hit at the parks last season, John D. Hall, the comedia, Cook and Oakes, eccentric comedians, and St. Claire and Carlisle, in a clever comedy wire act, all go toward making up one of the strongest bills ever seen at a Pittsburgh park.

Southern park will have Nichols and Croix in a good comedy travesty sketch, Axtell and Sylvia, comedy acrobats, Alice Phillbrooks, the singer, Cook and Hayes, comedians, in a clever sketch entitled "The Captain and the Kidder," and Mardo the juggler.

For the Sunday bills Calhoun will have the Knights of Pythias band, the Sisters McNulty, John F. Clark, comedian, and the famous Carrie Nation, the saloonsmasher.

Oakwood will have Bartley's Military band, Edwards and Kernell, the comedians, Joe Hayman, the Hebrew jester, and Marie LeRoy.

Southern will have the Grand Army band with Maxwell and Dudley, comedians, Rastus and Banks, the colored entertainers, and John Murtha, the comedy singer, as special features.

DETAILS START FOR SOMERSET

Camps Will Be Ready for Troops Arriving Tomorrow Morning.

SOLDIERS TO START TONIGHT

Advance Men Get Good Start from All Local Commands and the Big Green at Somerset Will Today Become a City of Tents.

The Somerset camp of the Second brigade of the National Guard of Pennsylvania will all be ready when the commands reach Somerset tomorrow morning, if the work of the details is carried out as expected. These details, about 60 strong for each regiment, left for Somerset last night and early this morning they will begin to make the camp.

The first touch of the soldier appearance that comes over the streets of Pittsburgh at encampment time was given last evening when these details marched from their armories to the railroad stations. From the Fourteenth and Eighteenth regiments, from Battery B, from the Tenth regiment and the Fifth regiment men were sent forward. Shortly after 9 o'clock all were entrained and started to their work.

The details from the Tenth, Fourteenth and Eighteenth regiments started on their journey over the Baltimore & Ohio, their special trains running as sections of train No. 10, leaving at 9 p. m. All night was taken up for the trip to Somerset, the trains being run on a slow schedule in order to occupy the time.

The same was true of the Pennsylvania railroad, over which departed the details from Battery B, the Fifth and Sixteenth regiments and the Sheridan Troop. These details will reach Somerset early this morning going by way of Johnstown.

The details from the Tenth regiment's companies, scattered as they are over a good part of Western Pennsylvania, came into Pittsburgh from all directions yesterday evening. The entire detail was under command of Lieut. Col. Everhart Bierer of Uniontown; Capt. Richard Coulter, Jr., Greensburg, quartermaster; Capt. Blaine Aiken, Washington, commissary; Capt. L. P. McCormick, Connellsville, assistant surgeon, and Lieut. James Harkins, Mt. Pleasant, battalion adjutant. One non-commissioned officer and eight enlisted men from each company completed the rest of the Tenth detail.

The Fourteenth detail was in command of Capt. William Sheehan, commissary, with Lieut. Arthur Nicholson of B company and Lieut. Hastings of F company. Capt. Murray Livingston, quartermaster, was kept from going with the detail by the death of his sister. He will join his regiment Saturday. About 60 men were in the Fourteenth detail.

The Eighteenth detail was commanded by Capt. Martin K. Reisfinger of B company, with Capt. James P. Karch, quartermaster; Capt. E. B. Riddle, commissary, and Lieut. E. M. Hand assistant surgeon. There were about 60 men in the detail.

About 20 cars of baggage were sent out from Pittsburgh over the two railroads. The details themselves occupied about eight cars.

Arrangements are complete for the movement of the troops proper this evening. The Tenth, Fourteenth and Eighteenth, go over the Baltimore & Ohio; the battery, the Fifth, Sixteenth and the Sheridan troop, over the Pennsylvania.

Orders have been given for the men to reach the armories at 8:30 p. m., in some cases and at 9 o'clock in others. They will be entrained with all dispatch. The only possible delay expected is on account of the large Atlantic City excursion of the Baltimore & Ohio this evening. The troop trains will follow the excursion specials. All the troops are expected to be on their way by 10 p. m.

COLONIAL TRUST MERGER TERMS MADE PUBLIC

Letter to Stockholders Shows Agreements Proposed for Interested Companies.

The details of the plan of amalgamating the American and Colonial trust companies and the Farmers Deposit National bank have been made public through the notice sent out to stockholders. This notice shows that "Colonial" is to be the name of the holding company; that the old Colonial trust stock will be taken share for share for the new stock; that the American will be taken at the rate of one share of American for a 20-23 share of the new Colonial, and that there will be given for each share of Farmers' stock three and one-half shares of Colonial. The circular follows:

The boards of directors of the Colonial Trust Company and of the American Trust Company of Pittsburgh have entered into an agreement for the consolidation and merger of said companies. This agreement provides for the consolidation of these two companies and the acquisition of the Pennsylvania Trust Company, the Germania Savings Bank, the Columbia National bank and the Tradesmens National bank.

For the purpose of completing the merger between the American Trust Company of Pittsburgh and the Colonial Trust Company, the capital stock of the Colonial Trust Company will be $4,000,000, and a meeting of the stockholders of the American Trust Company of Pittsburgh and the Colonial Trust Company has been called for the purpose of ratifying the action of the boards of directors of the two said companies.

The corporate name of the consolidated company will be "The Colonial Trust Company," which will take the assets of the Pennsylvania Trust Co. and the American Trust Company of Pittsburgh and will own the capital stock of the Germania Savings bank and the Columbia and Tradesmens National banks.

A further agreement has been made between the Colonial Trust Company and the stockholders of the Farmers Deposit National bank which provides for the sale, by the said stockholders, of their shares of stock of said bank as the same are delivered at the rate of three and one-half shares of stock of the consolidated company for one share of stock of the Farmers Deposit National bank. The delivery of this stock, however, cannnot be consummated until after the completion of the merger of the American Trust Company of Pittsburgh, and its allied interests with that of the Colonial Trust Company. As soon as the said merger is completed the stockholders will be asked to ratify the agreement between the stockholders of the Farmers Deposit National bank and the Colonial Trust Company, and the increase in the capital stock will be made for the purpose of taking over the stock from the stockholders of the said Farmers Deposit National bank.

At the stockholders' meeting called for the merger of the American Trust Company and the Colonial Trust Company, the merger agreement will be presented, which provides as follows:

That the capital stock of the American Trust Co. is 25,000 shares of a par value of $100 each, of which 23,000 shares have been issued or contracted to be issued, and the capital stock of the Colonial Trust Company is 20,000 shares of a par value of $100 each. For each share of the Colonial Trust Company the owner thereof will receive one share of the consolidated company; for each share of the American Trust Company the owner thereof will receive 20-23 of one share of the consolidated company.

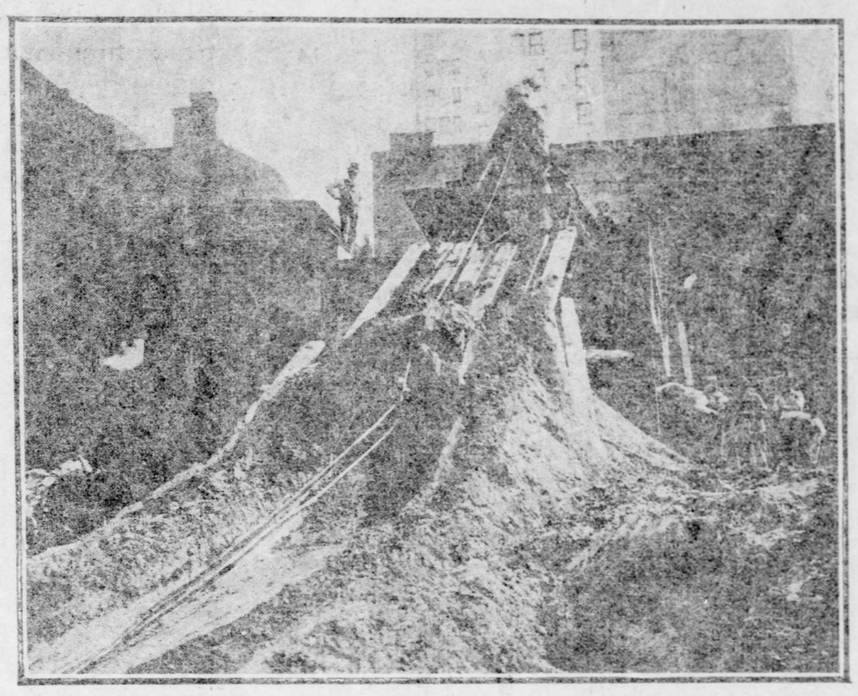
BYERLEY FORTUNE GOES TO THE HEIRS

S. H. Kistler, common councilman of the Eighth ward, McKeesport, yesterday participated in the division of $60,000 left by his uncle, Robert S. Byerley of Westmoreland county. Mr. Kistler went to Greensburg yesterday. He also acted for six sisters, all of whom are equal heirs and reside in the west. There are a number of other heirs and checks were sent to all for their respective amounts.

Two Small Downtown Fires.

The firemen were called out twice in the downtown section of the city last night. The first time was for a small fire at the home of Mrs. William Reed, at No. 541 Grant street. A small gasoline stove exploded, setting fire to the room. The second alarm came in from Fifth avenue and Book ailey. A fire broke out in the basement of the First National bank building. No damage was done in either case, the flames being extinguished almost immediately.

Scoop, Steam Engine and 10 Men Do the Work in Excavating That 60 Men With Picks and Shovels Could Do



Scooping Earth For Foundation of New Department Store On Site of First Presbyterian Church, Wood Street.

Modern methods of exeavating so as to lay foundations for sky-scrapers are well illustrated in Wood street, between Sixth avenue and Virgin alley, on the site of the old First Presbyterian church, where a large department store will be built. A large scraper, or scoop, to which are attached wire cables, digs into the earth and when filled is dumped into a large hopper. a steam engine supply supplying the power to carry the scoopfuls of earth from the deep hole to the mouth of the hopper. Horses and wagons carry away the earth, getting it from the hopper, some being dumped in Soho and some in Allegheny, the latter being used in filling for the Pennsylvania railroad's raised tracks. There had been some dumping done at the Bedford avenue water basin, but the basin is now filled. A scoop, an engine and 10 men do as much work and in faster time than 60 men can do under the old methods with picks and shovels. About 425 loads of earth are removed daily, each load containg two cubic yards. An average of about 25 cents a load is paid by the contractors for the privilege to dump the earth. Some contractors get $1 a cubic yard for filling, after charging those who do the dumping.

THE DEATH ROLL

Joseph Wilson.

Joseph Wilson died yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James L. Wike, No. 840 Holland avenue, Wilkinsburg, of pneumonia, after an illness of but two days. He was 90 years of age, and on account of his advanced years the physicians were unable to successfully combat the disease. Mr. Wilson was born in Butler county and was a contractor and builder. He moved to Wilkinsburg about 25 years ago and soon attained prominence in that borough and vicinity in his line of work. He constructed many buildings in that disurict and was also well known in Pittsburgh. He was a brother-in-law of the late Samuel D. Wilson, contractors in Wilkinsburg, having succeeded their father when he retired from active business some years ago. These two sons, Samuel D. Wilson, Jr., is a carpenter, and the daughter at whose home he died, survive. His wife died several years ago. He was a member of the South Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, and the pastor, the Rev. Dr. T. N. Eaton, will hold services at the home of Samuel Wilson, No. 824 Holland avenue, this evening at 8 o'clock. The remains will be taken to Butler tomorrow morning for interment.

Buried With Military Honors.

The funeral of Lieutenant James Crownover, of Second street, Braddock, took place yesterday afternoon. Services were held in the family residence, conducted by the Rev. A. B. Wilson, of the First Braddock United Brethren church, of which the deceased had been a member, and assisted by the Rev. L. P. Trukal of Braddock. The deceased was a member of Union Veteran Legion No. 1, having served throughout the entire civil war, and was also a member of Major A. M. Harper Post, No. 181, G. A. R., of Braddock. Delegates from the Veteran legion from Pittsburgh, Braddock Homestead and Duquesne attended and the members of Post 181 attended in a body. The members of Edgar Thomas council, Royal Arcanum, of Braddock, were also present. The deceased being connected with the Mt. Pleasant council. He was given a military burial in Monongahela cemetery.

Mrs. William C. Lilley.

Mrs. Annie Livingston Lilley, wife of William C. Lilley, secretary and treasurer of the McCully Glass Company, died at Atlantic City yesterday morning. Mrs. Lilley has been ill for about a year and went to Atlantic City to benefit her health two months ago. She was treasurer of the Ladies' Missionary society and a member of the First Presbyterian church. She was born in Lawrenceville and has always lived in Pittsburgh. Two sisters, Clora and Anna Belle Livingston, and a brother, Murray G. Livingston, chief ordnance officer and quartermaster of the Fourteenth regiment, survive. The body will arrive from Atlantic City this morning.

Mrs. Alice Davis.

Mrs. Alice Davis, wife of Ralph T. Davis of Linden avenue, East Pittsburgh, a foreman in the electric works of the Westinghouse Company, died yesterday from consumption. Mrs. Davis, whose maiden name was Alice Ferriage, less than a year ago, was a singer of note in Westmoreland county. She is survived by her husband, her parents and several adult brothers and sisters. She had been a member of St. Colman's Roman Catholic church, Turtle Creek, during her residence in East Pittsburgh.

William Walsh, Jr.

William Walsh, Jr., son of William and Mary Walsh, nee White, died yesterday morning in the 19th year of his age. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning from the parents' residence, No. 523 Brownsville avenue, South Side. Services will be held at St. John's Catholic church, Fourteenth street, South Side.

Dr. T. Marsh.

Dr. T. Marsh, trustee and ex-president of Mt. Union college of Alliance, O., died yesterday in Flushing, O. He leaves a widow, a son and three daughters.

Obituary Notes.

Francis Marion Wells, the well-known California sculptor, died yesterday of general nervous collapse. He was 56 years old.

Thomas Cavanaugh, aged 57, died yesterday at Sharon, Pa. He had been engaged in the grocery business for the past 20 years. He is survived by his widow, four sons and three daughters.

Mrs. Margaret Hanlon Clark, 73 years old, widow of Patrick Clark, a well known Pittsburgh jeweler, is dead at her home, No. 1304 Pennsylvania avenue, Allegheny. Two children, Miss Anna Clark and Mrs. L. G. Willey, survive.

Mrs. Rebecca Nye, wife of Nathaniel Nye, Lawrence county, died at her home in Hazel Dell yesterday aged 63. She is survived by her husband and two sons, George B. Nye and Frank Nye of Conbord, Mich.

Mrs. Ermina, wife of the Rev. H. H. Gordan, pastor of the United Presbyterian church at Paris, Washington county, Pa., died in the hospital at Sharon, Pa., yesterday, from the effects of an operation. She was 40 years old. She is survived by her husband and one daughter.

"THE UPTOWN DISTRICT.

Superintendent McTighe Says More Police Are Needed in the East End.

Superintendent of Police John P. McTighe visited the East End, or to call it by the name he has coined, "the uptown district," last night, e said:

"More police are needed in the East End. The district is growing and the police force has not kept stride with its progress. In 10 years this section will be the center of population of Pittsburgh."

The superintendent compilmented the men in charge of the district and said it was better policed now than it has been in 20 years. He has purchased a house in the East End and will remove there soon.

FREE TRIPS TO THE COAST.

Post 128, G. A. R., of Allegheny, Holds a Prize Drawing.

Post 128, Grand Army of the Republic, of Allegheny, had a prize drawing in Kenyon hall last night, which was attended by more than 500 people. The grand prizes—two round trip tickets to San Francisco—were drawn by L. R. Campbell and William Morris. James Crowne, the only member of the post who drew a prize, got a silver tea set valued at $35. Thirty-five other prizes were awarded. They were mostly $2.50 gold pieces.

The Grand Army of the Republic national encampment will be held in San Francisco next month.

PERSONALS

Tetley Jones of London, England, a member of a well-known tea firm, is registered at the Duquesne Hotel. He is here in the interest of his firm and in speaking of the firm and its business, he said: "My great-grandfather was the first Tetley to import tea from China. This was 150 years ago. For a number of years he was in business for himself and later organized a company, taking in two of his sons. The Chinese are away behind the times in growing tea. They do not know how to do the work by hand, ignoring the latest machinery. The raw product of China is not equal to that grown in India. The Chinese have lost the art of cultivating tea, and the Indians have found it. All of the finest grade of tea is imported from Ceylon. The English people consume 6 pounds of tea to one of coffee, while Americans consume ten pounds of coffee to one of tea. Gradually the American people are appreciating tea. There is little pure coffee imported into England, but the other way it goes there. In America it is the reverse. The best coffee produced is shipped to America, but not so with the teas."

Capt. Thomas Griffith, Eighteenth infantry, U. S. A., in charge of the local army recruiting station, will be promoted to major by reason of his majority by the retirement of Maj. Gen. George W. Davis, U. S. A., commander of the department of the Philippines, and also by the retirement of Major Robert P. Hall, quartermaster. Capt. Griffith has been in Pittsburgh for 18 months. He served with his regiment in the Philippines and was instrumental in establishing a civil government in one of the provinces of the Island of Panay. This promotion will place Capt. Griffith about tenth in the list of captains. He will be examined when he is ordered soon before a board for examination for promotion.

D. J. Cassidy, inspector of buildings and building material for the American Bridge Company, with headquarters in Chicago, passed through the city last night over the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. He was returning from New York, where he inspected several buildings the company is erecting. He will return to Pittsburgh in a few days and inspect the material used in the construction of the Wabash bridge.

Warren W. Dickson, formerly postoffice inspector in this city, but now inspector in charge at Philadelphia, is in Pittsburgh. He is now in charge of the division composed of Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland.

Maj. H. D. Bulkeley, comptroller of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday in his private car. He is here on a business trip and will leave today.

Mrs. E. Angelo-Short, of London, England, registered at the Hotel Schenley yesterday.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

The nearby residents registered at the local hotels last night were as follows:

Duquesne—John McKeefrey, Leetonia; J. W. Smith, Zanesville; T. H. Loomis, Steubenville.

Henry—J. Brannick, Dayton; William A. Rhodes, East Liverpool; E. E. Grimm, Frank Hill, Thomas Anderson, Youngstown; D. F. Flemming, Punxsutawney.

Monongahela House—A. J. Findlay, Franklin; A. L. Brodhead, Chicora; John M. Hawk, Greensburg; Mrs. Hayes, Mercer; A. J. McConnell, Beaver; L. M. Quinalan, Dufiois; S. G. Walker, Coal Center.

Seventh Avenue—A. J. Brown, Marietta; J. W. Williams, Washington; Mrs. Steinberger, Zelienople; G. C. Frank, Ligonier; G. F. Hutteman, Scotdale; H. B. Shaffer, Indiana.

Newell's—G. T. Mead Marietta; O. L. Badger, Wheeling; Charles Potter, Denore; H. B. Richardson, Ellwood City; J. H. Evans, Beaver.

Lincoln—H. T. Mitchell, Greensburg.

Anderson—F. B. Wilson, West Newton; D. H. Johnson, Connellsville.

FOUL PLAY, THEY SAY, WAS CAUSE

Port Vue Strikers Make Charges Concerning the Drowning of a Companion.

POSSIBLE THAT HE WAS SHOT

Sudden End of Evan Lewis to Be Investigated—Many Encounters Between Striking Tin Plate Workers and McKeesport Deputies.

Some of the strikers at the Port Vue tin plate works openly charge that Evan Lewis, one of their number, who was drowned early yesterday morning while trying to swim the Youghiogheny river, was either killed by a bullet from a deputy's gun or was so badly frightened he was unable to swim any further. Detective P. J. Morrissey of McKeesport, was yesterday engaged by W. M. Gibson, vice president of the Amalgamated association, to investigate the man's death.

It is stated that bullets were fired in the direction of the river while Lewis and his companion, "Sandy" McPhee, were swimming toward the opposite shore. McPhee refuses to make any statement except to the proper authorities. The body of Lewis has not been recovered, but a thorough search is being made.

Trouble was anticipated yesterday when the 4 o'clock p. m. turn went on at the works and Superintendent J. R. Lauck found it necessary to telephone the Central police station at McKeesport for assistance, as the strikers had cornered some men at Thirteenth street near the Port Vue bridge, and refused to allow them to go to work. An officer dispersed the crowd and the men were permitted to proceed.

William Humphries, one of the men at work at the mill, was badly beaten and robbed yesterday morning while on his way to work. He entered suit against P. M. Kelley on a charge of assault and battery and highway robbery before Alderman W. D. Mansfield. Constable William Stine of Port Vue has entered suit against William M. Meyers on a charge of assault and battery. Both these men are held in $300 bail for a hearing today.

The strikers say they are gathering evidence against the deputies employed by the mill officials and declare they have a number of empty shells and evidence that they were fired upon. An effort will be made to have the deputies removed from the borough or confined to the mill yards. About 15 extra police were sworn in yesterday by the burgess of Port Vue.

Emmet Davis, one of the employes of the works, when returning to work at 9 o'clock last night, was attacked by two strikers at the Port Vue end of the Thirteenth street bridge. He drew a revolver and emptied the weapon upon them. The men escaped unhurged. Davis sat down to reload his revolver, when he was attacked by two other men. A desperate struggle followed.

The men succeeded in wrenching the revolver from Davis' grasp and they broke two fingers in his right hand. Constables Stine and McFee, on hearing of the first scuffle, rushed to the scene and when they arrived the second fight was in progress. They arrested Davis but his assailants escaped.

North American Savings Co.'s booklet banking by mail gives new ideas.

VALUES RAISED TWO MILLIONS

Controller James Brown of Allegheny Announces Large Increase in Assessment.

SCORES THE NEW OFFICIALS

Declares Wyman's Cabinet to Be Incapable and Extravagant—Another Deficiency This Year Is Predicted. North Side Is Otherwise Prospering.

"The valuations of Allegheny property will be increased $2,000,000 by the triennial assessment now being made. There has been a remarkable advance in values of real estate along Federal street since the last triennial assessment, prices now being 100 per cent higher than they were three years ago. The expected increase in valuations would go a long way toward making up the deficiency created by the last administration, but the present administration shows no sign of improvement in their expenditures," said Controller James Brown of Allegheny last night.

Controller Brown took the 9 o'clock train at Union station for Atlantic City, to be gone a week or 10 days. The North Side fiscal officer did not speak very flatteringly of Mayor James G. Wyman's administration.

"The present city officials are reckless in their expenditures and also incapable," said he. "They do not seem to understand their business. The city should have better men at the head of its affairs. The last councils expended money so lavishly that they created a deficiency last year, equaling 1 mill of the total taxes. The present administration is going ahead at the same pace, and there will be another large deficiency at the end of the present year.

"Allegheny in other respects is prospering. This is shown by the large advance in real estate values, not only in the central section of the city, but also toward the suburbs, which have been filling up with new houses and people seeking homes."

Bair & Gazzam Signed Scale.

The strike of the machinists at the shops of Bair & Gazzam, Third avenue and Ferry street, has been adjusted, the firm signing the scale. The men think this action will induce other manufacturers to recognize the union.

BARKER'S
NERVE AND BONE
LINIMENT
FOR MAN OR BEAST.
Cures Rheumatism, Sprains, Cuts, Bruises, Wounds, etc.

BARKER'S
Horse, Cattle and Poultry
POWDER
Cannot be excelled as a cure for all animal diseases. Give them a trial.
For Sale by all Druggists.

"I wrote to Dr. Pierce for his advice."

The lady, from whose letter we quote, got what she wrote for, and is a well woman to-day as a result of following Dr. Pierce's advice and using Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, the medicine which makes weak women strong and sick women well. "Favorite Prescription" establishes regularity, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness.

Sick women, especially those suffering from diseases of long standing, are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter, *free*. All correspondence is held as strictly private and sacredly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

"I can truthfully say that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a wonderful medicine and deserves the praise given it," writes Mrs. Emma Spooner, of Lakeview, Montcalm Co., Mich., Box 28. "I was sick four months, and the medicine prescribed by the doctors did me no good. Finally I wrote to Dr. Pierce for his advice. He answered in a very kind letter instructing me what to do. I followed his advice and to-day am a well woman, thanks to Dr. Pierce."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets should be used with "Favorite Prescription" whenever a laxative is required.

229 FIFTH AVE.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 63.)

AN ORDINANCE—Naming an unnamed street in the Fifteenth ward, from Perrysville avenue to Riverview park, "Fairview avenue."

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That an unnamed street in the Fifteenth ward, from Perrysville avenue to Riverview park, be and the same is hereby named "Fairview avenue."

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 17th day of July, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

HORNE-STEWART Co
DRY GOODS
Thursday 23 July 1903

Lots of stuff claiming kin to the linen family gets advertised under that name. Flax alone is on the linen list at your store.

Linens

Some odds and ends and odd lots of course but no trash, and all bright new goods and special prices that will set you buying for your future as well as your present needs.

Special Sale of Table Linens

2.45 Pattern cloths, 2x2½ yards, that were 3.25 each, on sale at 2.45.
Pattern cloths, 2x3 yards, that were 4.50 and 4.25 each, on sale at 3.50

1.00 Damask full 72 inches wide, that has always sold for 1.25 and 1.35 the yard, out for sale at a dollar.

All Linen Napkins, 18x18 inches, regular 1.25 value, on sale at one dollar the dozen 1.00

A good Huck Towel, always considered cheap at 15 cents each, special at 9c

12½ Pure Linen Hemmed Huck Towels, regular 18 cents each, in the sale at 12½.

25c Our regular 35 cent Dew Bleached Towel for 25 cents while they last.
$3.00 the Dozen instead of 4.00, as usual.

TOWELING BY THE YARD

8c All Linen 18 inch crash, regular 10 cent quality, 8 cents the yard, and Pure Linen 18 inch Roller and Glass Toweling, considered cheap at 15 cents, for 11c

Dresser Scarfs

ONE THIRD LESS THAN PRICE.

A lot of Hand Embroidered Dresser Scarfs on Center Table in Linen Section Main Floor, a bit store soiled, will be voted a real bargain at one third off the regular price value.

Special Sale of Bed Linens

Pure Linen Pillow Cases reduced for this sale from 1.25 the pair to 95c

Pure Linen Bolster Cases reduced for this sale from 1.25 the pair to 95c

Pure Linen Hand Embroidered Pillow Cases reduced for this sale from 2.50 the pair to 3.95

Bolster Cases to Match 1.65 Each.

Pure Linen Sheets, 72x90 inches, reduced for this sale from 5.00 the pair to 1.65

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CANNON RESENTS SENATE'S ACTION

Will Fight Any Attempt to Force Financial Bill Upon the House.

THEY ARE TOO DICTATORIAL

Prospective Speaker of the Next House of Representatives Consults With President at Sagamore Hill—He Believes Financial Legislation Is Not Needed.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building,
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 22.

"An ugly contest is in prospect between the house and the senate at the next session of congress," said a member of the house today. "Cannon has declared war upon the senate, and he is determined to force upon the upper branch proper recognition of the house. He has been throwing cold water upon the proposition of a new financial bill, not that he is particularly opposed to the bill, but because the senate finance committee have taken it upon themselves to frame such a bill, which Cannon believes they intend to force upon the house at the extra session."

The truth of this anonymous statement is apparent to those who are familiar with the situation. For years Mr. Cannon, as chairman of the house committee on appropriations, has had to contend with the imperious will of the senate. Time upon time he and his colleagues have fought through some appropriation in the closing hours of a congressional session and when it has passed the house they have been obliged to give in to the will of the senate. The rule of unlimited debate makes this possible.

If an appropriation bill comes from the house containing a single item that is objectionable to one senator, or omitting an item that he insists upon having in it, that senator has only to serve notice that the bill must be fixed to suit him in conference or he will talk it to death. It was an instance of this kind in the last congress, when Senator Tillman of South Carolina forced the conference to put in an appropriation of some $40,000 to pay a claim of his state, that drew forth from Mr. Cannon that scathing arraignment of the senate and its methods and precipitated the war that is expected to come in November.

The members of the finance committee who have undertaken the work of framing a finance bill are progressing with this task and it is reported that they will be ready to report a bill soon after the extra session convenes. Mr. Cannon has said that while he does not see any need for remedial legislation, yet he will not obstruct the passage of a bill that has the approval of the president and the Republican leaders in congress. After his conference with the president today at Sagamore Hill, Mr. Cannon may assume a more lenient attitude toward the financial bill, but he is not likely to change his attitude toward the senate.

The presence of H. C. Frick at Sagamore Hill is no doubt accounted for by the discussion of financial legislation, and it is quite certain that Mr. Frick was invited to go visit the president and give his views. President Roosevelt is a great admirer of the Pittsburgh man and last winter he entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frick at the White House. Mr. Frick comes within that category of men of iron with whom the president likes to consult on questions of great public importance.

L. W. STRAYER.

KILLING GERMS BY ELECTRICITY

Another Method Suggested for Purifying the Water Supply of Pittsburgh.

BURNS ALL ORGANIC MATTER

Allegheny Inventor Positive That Typhoid Germs Can Be Destroyed by Proper Filtration--Ozone Created by Proposed Method Assists in the Purification.

J. W. Frazier of Allegheny is a firm believer in the doctrine that filtration is a preventive of typhoid fever and other diseases. He is the inventor of the Frazier electric water purifier. Talking of filtration, he said yesterday:

"It must be admitted, according to health reports, that the use of either stationary or mechanical sand filters decreases the death rate from typhoid fever, as a large proportion of impurities and disease germs carried by water are removed.

"If a partial filtration process is good, then why not remove all impurities and completely destroy all organic life carried by the water supply of cities by the use of electric purifiers or precipitators? This can be done in Pittsburgh with little change in the present city reservoirs or plans. In place of pumping river water into both upper Highland basins, as is now done, I would first pass the water through electric precipitators (placed in a building close to the reservoirs) into one of the reservoirs, which I would use as a settling basin. From this settling basin I would have the water flow in a thin sheet near the top of the other basin, leaving the precipitated and sedimentary matter behind, which will settle rapidly. This precipitate can be drawn off from the bottom of the reservoir with little loss of water.

"In the bottom of the reservoir I would build funnel-shaped depressions, formed by concrete, each funnel having its independent drain pipe leading outside of the reservoir and controlled by valves. These, when open, provide outlets, and the entire bottom of the reservoir can be flushed and completely cleared of all precipitated and sedimentary matter.

"My process is based upon the principles that electricity and ozone, which is set free by the electric current, burn all organic matter in the water, including bacteria and their vital products. Electricity and ozone oxidizes not only the bacteria, but all organic matter. The water is rendered colorless, sparkling and odorless.

"All this can be done reasonably as to cost and will furnish Pittsburgh with a purer water supply than any other city in the world has today, and quickly, which is important. I would simply use electric precipitators on a large scale and increase as rapidly as possible my reservoir capacity to be used as settling basins and for storage of pure water.

"Everybody should be interested in pure water. In regard to life and health, a pure water supply is one of the most important problems of the age. Of course, I do not expect the Pittsburgh councils or the officials of any city to favor electric filtration without full investigation and the complete facts and figures as to cost of operating. A complete large experimental electric filtration plant is now under course of construction. It will shortly be in operation and for inspection. Complete facts and figures will then be made public. My invention is fully protected by patents allowed and pending."

CINCINNATI WINS ELK CONVENTION

Will Aid Pittsburgh in Securing the Gathering Two Years Hence.

CHANCES ARE EXCELLENT

Allegheny County and Nearby Towns Make Splendid Showing in the Parade. Homestead Brother Overcome by Heat, but Will Recover.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BALTIMORE, July 22.—The selection today of Cincinnati as the place of next meeting of the grand lodge of the B. P. O. E. encouraged Pittsburgh boomers for 1905. There was an understanding with the Ohio delegation that if those who represented western Pennsylvania assisted Cincinnati, that the Queen City would help Pittsburgh for 1905. The selection of Cincinnati is looked upon as a first victory.

Syracuse, N. Y., will also be a contestant for the meeting in 1905. After the meeting today, Syracuse immediately entered the race for 1905. And it is evident the contest will be between Pittsburgh and that city.

The Elks held their parade today and Western Pennsylvania showed up with the best of them. The Pittsburgh and Allegheny delegations got together and over 200 men were in line representing these two cities, while Greater Pittsburgh was represented by over 1,000. The Pittsburgh and Allegheny delegations were headed by the Cathedral band of this city and made a splendid showing. The horses that drew the carriage containing J. E. O'Donnell, exalted ruler of Pittsburgh lodge, had 40 men in line under command of J. W. McKean. They were attired in cream colored flannel suits trimmed with purple silk, and all along the line of march they were cheered lustily.

During the parade the Hon. William McBroom of Homestead was overcome by the heat. Mr. McBroom, who is a member of Homestead lodge, is 63 years old, and for his age is quite energetic. An effort was made to induce him not to go over the route, but he only answered: "William will be in line." At Eutaw and Preston streets Mr. McBroom was seen to totter and fall. Several of his friends went to his assistance. He was placed in a carriage and taken to his hotel, where a physician was summoned. He was resting easier tonight.

Daniel Fallen of Monongahela is at the Universal hospital in this city having been prostrated by the heat yesterday. At first it was feared that the attack was serious and the physicians would not say that he was out of danger until tonight, when it was announced that Mr. Fallen would probably be recovered sufficiently to be out in three of four days.

J. E. O'Donnell, exalted ruler of Pittsburgh lodge, is enthusiastic over the prospect of getting the grand lodge meeting in Pittsburgh two years hence. "We will have it sure," he said. "A local committee will go to work as soon as possible and arrangements will be made to go to Cincinnati next year and carry the place for Pittsburgh in 1905. If we get the meeting it will cost many thousands of dollars but the city will get much more of it back. Baltimore has made a fine showing, but, my boy, wait until the meeting comes to our town."

The Pittsburgh delegation has given out 10,000 large buttons bearing the words "B. P. O. E. Pittsburgh 1905." They were displayed everywhere. They distributed by the glass over 500 quarts that made Monongahela famous. Also 20,000 nobles. Tonight the confetti throwing began and the Pittsburghers nearly threw their arms out of joint.

The committee on the music contest which took place yesterday, made the following decision today: Webers, Cincinnati band, first prize, $1,000; Jersey City band, second prize, $500; Fifth Regiment band of Paterson, N. J., third prize, $300. Great Western band of Cleveland, fourth prize, $200.

The committee to award prizes for the best displays made during the parade was composed of seven leading citizens of Baltimore. The committee announced the following decision: For the most unique appearance, cotton pickers, Greenville, Miss., lodge, $400 silver loving cup; for the best marching, Cincinnati lodge, $150 American flag; for largest number in line, Philadelphia lodge, exalted ruler's regalia, $100; for the largest number of marchers coming the longest distance, Dallas, Tex., lodge, gavel for exalted ruler, $75; for best uniformed band, Bellaire, O., lodge, $50.

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Boy Store-robbers Had Booty Stolen

After breaking into a store and stealing 400 cigars, several razors, a violin and a number of other articles four Homestead boys under 14 years of age were set upon by a crowd of larger boys, who in turn stole the booty from the youngsters. Russell Linder, John Williams, Michael Tondt and Roy (alias Honey) Davis were arrested yesterday and will be given a hearing this morning. Max Mervis of Eighth avenue, Homestead, whose store was robbed, will appear against the youths. The four boys confessed to the robbery when arrested, and gave the names of the other boys who robbed them. The police are after the latter and will have them arraigned with the quartet if all are rounded up.

WARRANT FOR A CONSTABLE

O. S. Mills of Allegheny Sued for Assault by Humane Society Man.

Inspector Harry S. Shaw of the Western Pennsylvania Humane society yesterday made information before Alderman A. J. Brinker against constable O. S. Mills of the Twelfth ward, Allegheny, charging him with felonious assault and battery. Shaw alleges that Mills met him yesterday at Locock and Federal streets, Allegheny, and after accusing him of serving papers under his name, jammed him in the ribs with a revolver. A warrant was issued for Mills' arrest.

Mills, until recently, worked as constable for Alderman Brinker, but the two had a quarrel and Mills is now working for other aldermen.

Man Killed During a Fire.

HARTFORD, CONN., July 22.—The Woodland paper mill, between Hartford and Manchester, was totally destroyed by fire this afternoon. The loss is estimated at $150,000. One employe, William Haskins, lost his life while attempting to draw the fires beneath the boilers.

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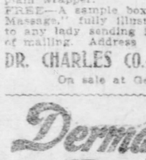

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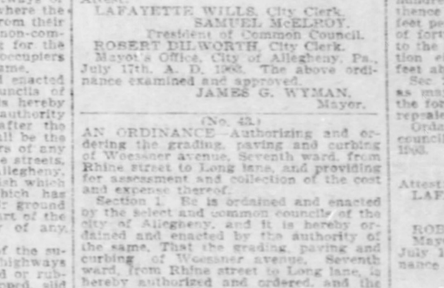

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WOMAN SCORNED TELLS HER STORY

Sensational Suit Brought by Allegheny Man Against Zelienople Oil Operator.

CRIMINAL AND CIVIL SUITS

A sensational suit filed in the Pittsburgh courts several days ago, involving the reputation of a wealthy oil operator of Zelienople, Pa., and the wife of an Allegheny machinist was brought to light through the filing of a suit on a charge of infidelity before Alderman A. J. Brinker of Allegheny on Tuesday afternoon.

The plaintiff is Cornelius Connell, a machinist of Allegheny, and the defendant is George E. Welsh, a deacon of the Presbyterian church of Zelienople. Connell demands $20,000 damages for the loss of his wife's affections. At the hearing before Alderman Brinker, Welsh was held in $1,000 bail for court.

On the witness stand Mrs. Connell made a clean breast of what she says is the truth regarding her relations with Welsh. Her testimony was to the effect that she had been married since 1880, and that for almost 13 years had been maintaining intimate relations with Welsh. According to her story Mrs. Connell was a friend of Welsh's first wife, and it was while visiting her about three years after her marriage that Welsh one day kissed her. Mrs. Connell protested and threatened to tell her husband if Welsh ever tried it again. This Welsh persisted in doing, and after he had been carrying on his advances for some time Mrs. Connell declares she consented to meet him in Allegheny and go to a certain house with him. Welsh, she says, swore he loved her and wanted her for his wife. She told of many instances when Welsh went to Allegheny and met her, keeping her at a house for a short time and allowing her to return home.

Some time ago, Mrs. Connell says, she discovered that Welsh had married again, and this broke her heart, as she says she loved Welsh. She wrote to him many times, but never got an answer until she received a letter from Attorney S. P. Bowser, counsel for Welsh. Mr. Bowser, she says, told her that she must sever all relations with Welsh and should not annoy him by further writing. Mrs. Connell says this completely unnerved her and she wrote a long letter confessing all that had passed between them. She had determined to make away with herself and Welsh. On July 6 last, Connell, the woman's husband, found the letter at their home in Howard street, and the suits followed. The letter written by Mrs. Connell is in possession of Connells attorneys, A. H. and H. H. Rowand. Welsh has entered his bond for his appearance when he is wanted.

FORD NOW A PATROLMAN.

Welsh Is Made Captain of Lawrenceville Police District.

Director Harry Moore of the department of public safety, issued orders yesterday to Superintendent of Police John P. McTighe to reduce Police Captain C. R. Ford to the ranks of patrolman and to promote Lieutenant Peter Welsh to his place. Patrolman R. H. Robinson was appointed as lieutenant to take Captain Welsh's place. The men are stationed at Nos 3 and 5 police stations, Lawrenceville.

Superintendent McTighe said there was no charge against Captain Ford, but the change had been contemplated for some time.

CROWDS CHEER KING IN DUBLIN

Edward's Second Day in Ireland Almost a Continuous Ovation.

MAUD GONNE INTERRUPTS

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

DUBLIN, July 22.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra, accompanied by the lord lieutenant, the Earl of Dudley and Princess Victoria, their suites and other officials, drove from the vice regal lodge to the castle, which they reached shortly before 11 o'clock this morning. The weather was pleasant and the crowds along the route greeted their majesties with continuous cheering.

Maud Gonne, (Mrs. McBride), hung a black flag outside her residence yesterday, in memory of the pope, she said. It was pulled down by the police, whereupon Maud Gonne, supported by lady friends, hung out another black flag, and arming themselves with pokers and boiling water, defied the police, who summoned reinforcements. But they made no further attempt to haul down the flag, which was again displayed today.

The king, who wore a field marshal's uniform, received in the throne room a large number of deputations. Altogether 63 deputations presented addresses. Replying to the Dublin citizens' committee, the king said there was no part of his dominions in which he took greater interest than in Ireland. The queen and himself had long been in sympathy with the movements tending to advance the social and material well-being of the community and they hoped now to become acquainted with the conditions under which the people lived and to learn what could be done to brighten the lot of the poor. The queen, after presenting badges to the jubilee nurses, drove to Alexandra college, accompanied by the countess of Dudley and Princess Victoria.

In the meantime King Edward held a levee at the castle, which was attended by a great number of prominent people from all parts of Ireland.

The king drove to Trinity college during the afternoon and received an address of welcome. He was accorded a great reception by the students and faculty. His majesty spoke briefly, saying he was proud his name was numbered on the rolls of the college which boasted of Swift, Berkeley, Burke and Grattan.

The king, on his return to the vice-regal lodge, received a continuous ovation from the crowds in the streets.

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(No. 37.)

AN ORDINANCE—Imposing the duty upon owners and occupiers of ground within the city, of removing dirt, mud or rubbish from the sidewalks, footways or driveways of the city, in cases where the same has slipped, slid or fallen from their ground, providing a penalty for non-compliance therewith, and providing for the collection from said owners and occupiers of the cost of removal of the same.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the passage of this ordinance it shall be the duty of the owners and occupiers of any ground abutting upon any of the streets, lanes or alleys in the city of Allegheny, to remove any dirt, mud or rubbish which may slip, slide or fall, or which has slipped, slid or fallen from their ground or property over or upon any part of the sidewalk, footway or driveway of any such street, lane or alley.

Sec. 2. That it shall be the duty of the superintendent of the bureau of highways and sewers, when any dirt, mud or rubbish of any kind shall have slipped, slid or fallen over or upon the sidewalk, footway or driveway of any street, lane or alley, to notify the owners and occupiers of the ground from which the said dirt, mud or rubbish shall have slipped, slid or fallen, to remove the same within ten days.

Such notice shall be in writing, and if the said owners or occupiers are residents of the city of Allegheny may either be served personally or by leaving a copy of said notice at their place of residence with an adult member of their family, but if the said owners or occupiers are not residents of the city of Allegheny, such notice may be served by posting three copies thereof upon the premises.

Sec. 3. Any such owner or occupier (whether such owner or occupier of the whole or of an undivided part), failing to comply with said notice within the time designated, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof before any alderman, justice of the peace or magistrate in the city of Allegheny, shall be subject to a penalty of fifty dollars, recoverable with costs, as penalties are now recoverable by law.

Sec. 4. In addition to the penalty provided for in the preceding section, it shall be the duty of the superintendent of the bureau of highways and sewers, if the said owners or occupiers shall fail to comply with the said notice within the time designated, to remove such dirt, mud or rubbish, and to furnish a bill for the cost and expense thereof to the city controller, who shall proceed to collect the same from the said owner or occupier. If not paid within ten days after notice mailed to the last known address of said owner or occupier, the controller shall place the same in the hands of the city solicitor for collection by appropriate legal proceedings.

Sec. 5. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 16th day of July, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17th, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 42.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading, paving and curbing of Kennedy avenue, Tenth ward, from Perrysville avenue to Marshall avenue, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading of Kennedy avenue, Tenth ward, from Perrysville avenue to Marshall avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

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(No. 43.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading, paving and curbing of Woessner avenue, Seventh ward, from Rhine street to Long lane, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading, paving and curbing of Woessner avenue, Seventh ward, from Rhine street to Long lane, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

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Mayor.

(No. 44.)

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of Turner alley, Third ward, from Pike street to Guckert alley.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Turner alley, Third ward, from Pike street to Guckert alley, be and the same is hereby established as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Turner alley and the south line of Pike street, at an elevation of eighty-two and thirty-four hundredths (82.34) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of

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one and seven-tenths (1.7) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of forty-seven and five tenths (47.5) feet to a point, elevation eighty-three and fifteen hundredths (83.15) feet above city datum; thence descending at a rate of one foot per hundred (100) feet for a distance of forty-seven and five tenths (47.5) feet to the north line of Guckert alley, elevation eighty-two and two tenths (82.2) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

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JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 45.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading, paving and curbing of Division street, Second ward, from Hancock street to Clayton avenue, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading, paving and curbing of Division street, Second ward, from Hancock street to Clayton avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

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(No. 46.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading, paving and curbing of Thomas street, First ward, from English street to Irwin avenue and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading, paving and curbing of Thomas street, First ward, from English street to Irwin avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 16th day of July, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17th, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

LAW REACHES OUT AFTER FUGITIVES

Privy Council of England Grants Uncle Sam's Appeal in the Gaynor-Greene Case.

THE CANADIAN JUDGE ERRED

Men Charged With Defrauding the Government of Many Thousands Will Likely Be Brought Back to Share Charlin M. Carter's Fate.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, July 22.—The department of justice has received a cablegram from Mr. MacMaster, Canadian counsel for this government in the Greene and Gaynor case, who is now in London, stating that the application to the privy council of England for leave to appeal from the decision of Justice Caron of Quebec, discharging the accused, has been granted. The cablegram said that the lord chancellor in granting leave to appeal stated that one judge could not interfere with another in proceedings upon a serious and important matter of this nature; that the offenses were clearly extraditable; and that while there was conspiracy, there was also something more.

Pending the examination of the accused before an extradition commissioner in Canada who was fully clothed with jurisdiction, the case was withdrawn from him under applications for habeas corpus and was finally decided by Justice Caron and the accused discharged. The United States contended that the proceedings before the extradition judge could not thus be interfered with, and that view has been sustained.

One ground upon which Justice Caron decided the merits of the controversy was that the case involved mere conspiracy; that however serious the substantive crimes were, the real charge upon which they would be tried here, and which was involved in the complaint preferred in Canada, was conspiracy to commit these crimes, and that conspiracy was not an extraditable offense under the treaties. Counsel for the United States earnestly contended against this view, arguing that the facts and the charges show that Greene and Gaynor were actual participants in the frauds of Captain Carter and that these offenses and participation in them were clearly covered by the provisions of the extradition treaties with England and by the laws of both the United States and Canada. It is believed that the privy council will sustain this contention also, indicating that while the case involves conspiracy there was also something more, viz.: Participation in the substantive offenses actually consummated.

While it is not possible to state accurately the immediate effect of the judgment of the privy council, it is regarded as a notable victory for the United States. The case will not go up on appeal for deliberate consideration of all the questions involved, from the decision of the single Canadian judge to the privy council of England. It is not yet known when the case will be heard on its merits by that tribunal. The brief report received seems to show plainly that the contentions of the United States on the merits have been sustained and the final result of the surrender of Greene and Gaynor by the Canadian authorities is foreshadowed.

Cancellation of Excursion to Ohio Pyle, July 26th.

Account annual encampment Second Brigade Pennsylvania National Guard, at Somerset, the regular Sunday excursion to Ohio Pyle will be cancelled on next Sunday, July 26th. Regular Sunday excursions to Ohio Pyle will be resumed August 2d, and continue throughout the season special train leaving Baltimore & Ohio station, corner Smithfield and Water streets, Pittsburgh, 8:15 a. m. Fare, $1, round trip.

Occupying Its New Building.

The United States National bank is now occupying its new building which it has erected at 503 Market street, one door from Fifth avenue.

IF MILLER WORKS UNION MEN WON'T

Prospects for a Strike in the Government Printing Office Are Excellent.

FOREMAN IS OBJECTIONABLE

President's Action in Reinstating Him in Bookbinding Department Stirs Up Washington Affiliated Unions—Strong Protest Made to Secretary Cortelyou.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, July 22.—President Barrett of the local organization of Bookbinders today announced that every bookbinder in the government printing office and the members of the allied unions will quit work if W. A. Miller, assistant foreman in the government printing office, whose dismissal from that office the president recently revoked, is permitted to resume work.

The local union officials today sent a communication to Secretary Cortelyou of the department of commerce and labor strongly expressing their position against Miller's reinstatement.

This statement says that the trouble originated in a charge against Miller, that the charge was considered by a committee empowered to adjust differences; that Miller not only refused to make an explanation but spoke in an insulting manner.

"Our organization," the statement recites, "does not or cannot dictate the policy of conducting affairs of the bindery in the government printing office. The rules are the same as control all the union shops in the United States. That Mr. Miller had cheapened any class of work for the government and that that was the cause of his suspension and expulsion is not true. Millers' methods were the most unbusiness like of any foreman in the office, and his notes in punishing men under him were contemptible. In the office and in public places he made use of scurrilous and abusive epithets about employes, causing a distrust in his division as to permanence of employment."

The statement says he ignored the notices to appear before those delegated to inquire into his case, and alleges that the testimony of witnesses sustained the charges. He also is charged with having sought to influence legislation derogatory to the interests of the society and with having furnished to a certain member of congress with price schedules of bookbinders in other cities with a view to showing that the book binderies in the government printing office were not doing sufficient work and with having given to this representative an official copy of his former trial," which the union alleges was a "surreptitious" act, the copy being the property of the society.

The statement closes as follows: "The union has never requested Mr. Miller's discharge from the government printing office. It should be noted, however, that our constitution forbids us to work with a suspended or expelled member. We learned that Mr. Miller had been discharged on legal charges preferred by the public printer, in accordance with the existing laws. Our evidence clearly demonstrated that he had continually abused the public printer in public places."

The statement makes personal allegations against Miller and says that affidavits have been placed in the hands of the proper officials for full and complete investigation.

Mr. Miller is now in Minneapolis.

Three Regular Tourist Points.
Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

Each Tuesday, Friday and Saturday during July and August, 15-day excursion tickets, Pittsburgh to Chautauqua lake, points and return, $6.00.

Each Tuesday during July, August and September, 15-day excursion tickets, Pittsburgh to Niagara Falls and return, $7.45, and Toronto and return, $9.00.

Trains leave Union station 8:30 a. m. and 11 p. m., eastern standard time. Pullman service on all through trains.

Special Chautauqua lake sleeping car now in service on 11 p. m. train.

State and Neighborhood

READY TO START WORK ON WABASH CONNECTION

Contractors Have Men on Ground to Build Cumberland Division.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CUMBERLAND, MD., July 22.—There will be five tunnels and 23 bridges on the whole of the connecting link for the Wabash, 65 miles between Cumberland and Cherry Run. It will cross the Potomac river nine times, the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad three times. The maximum grade will be three-tenths of 1 per cent, or less than 16 feet to the mile, and the curvature will not exceed six degrees. The unusually heavy cost of construction is due to the decision to secure as low a grade and as straight a line as possible.

Degnon & McLean propose beginning work on the first 22 miles, from Cherry Run west, at once. The work is divided into three sections to enable its completion within 18 months, which is the time specified in the contract.

The advance guard of Degnon & McLean's working force arrived at Cherry Run yesterday and commenced preparations for a long stay in that locality. Fifty men were busy yesterday and will be for several days, housing the 60 mules that have reached there. Seven freight cars with tools and materials have also arrived, so that work will begin immediately.

The contractors expect to have the 22½ mile section from Cherry Run west completed by the latter part of September. To do this 500 men are needed at once. A lot of Italians having heard of the work are at Hillstone seeking employment.

Woman Shot By Unknown Person.

MONESSEN, PA., July 22.—(Special.)—Mrs. J. C. Thur of this city was shot by an unknown person yesterday while picking berries in a field on the outskirts of the town. The wound is of a dangerous nature. The scene has been put in the hands of the police and an effort will be made to run down the shooter.

(Photograph by Keogh.
MISS CLARA CARTER
of Scottdale Pa., who was chosen queen of the Greensburg Firemen's Carnival.

GREENSBURG, PA., July 22.—In competition with a number of the best known girls of Greensburg, Miss Clara E. Carter of Scottdale won in the contest for queen of the carnival that was given by the local fire department last week. Miss Carter received over 1,600 votes, almost three times as many as any of the other contestants. She was crowned queen at a dance that was given on the concluding night of the carnival. She is extremely popular with the younger society set of Scottdale and Greensburg, having visited here on a number of occasions.

THREE BIG COMPANIES SECURE STATE CHARTERS

West Virginia Coal Concern With $200,000 Capital—Railroad Incorporated.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CHARLESTON, W. VA., July 22.—The following charters have been issued here: Pleasant Valley Coal Company of Crafton, W. Va., capital $200,000; incorporators, S. M. Brown, S. W. Shrader, Carrie Gramm, Elizabeth Shrader and John W. Miller, Grafton.

Nicholas Short Line railroad of Charleston, W. Va., to build a railroad from Belva, W. Va., up Little Elk creek to its headquarters; capital, $100,000; incorporators, C. C. Sharp, Cauley Bridge, W. Va.; Peter Carrell, W. E. Chilton, J. N. Chilton, T. S. Clark, Charleston.

The Safety Check Hook Company of Balmont, W. Va., to manufacture and sell the "hookus" check book; capital, $25,000; incorporators, John A. Clark, A. E. McDonald, S. A. Helburt, Howard Showalter, W. A. Knapp, Fairmont.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

ROCHESTER, PA.—The body of an unknown man was found in the river near Freedom.

FRANKLIN, PA.—C. F. Shearer, a brakeman, was killed by a train here. He had gone to sleep on the track. Shearer lived in Miller.

MONESSEN, PA.—Steven Hudock, a 9-year-old Slav, was drowned in the Monongahela river near the Pittsburgh steel mill. The body has not been recovered.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—Jessie Johns, aged 21, committed suicide by drinking laudanum. She came here two weeks ago from Youngstown, where her parents reside.

AKRON, O.—Samuel Fields of McKeesport, Pa., was run over by an Erie freight train here and had both legs cut off. He is about 20 years old and well dressed. It is supposed that he had fallen asleep on the tracks.

CUMBERLAND, MD.—Walter V. Peacock, who enlisted at the naval recruiting station here last fall, has been arrested here by Officer John Goss on a charge of desertion. It is alleged he ran away from the cruiser Dolphin June 26.

MONONGAHELA, PA.—The city is threatened by a typhoid fever scourge. Two deaths have occurred within 24 hours, and new cases are developing. The prevalence of the disease is attributed to impure water and to imperfect drainage in certain sections.

GREENSBURG, PA.—George W. Wood & Company, of this city, have secured the contract for the erection of the Star Brewing Company's plant, which was recently incorporated with a capital of $125,000. The plant will be located south of Greensburg.

FRANKLIN, PA.—Felix Beatty, the alleged defaulting treasurer of the Workingman's club of Franklin, has been apprehended at Pendleton, Ore., and will be brought here for trial. Beatty left here late in January and shortly after a shortage of $800 was discovered in his accounts.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA.—William K. Johnson died at Berkeley Springs aged 112 years. He had spent almost all his life in that section. Johnson was a pensioner of the war of 1812. All his children are dead, but he left eight grandchildren, 271 great grandchildren and 43 great great grandchildren.

COSHOCTON, O.—A communication from Andrew Carnegie to the local library board conveys the information that he has decided with the Home Trust Company of Hoboken, N. J., to erect a $125,000 library building here. Plans by Architect Hart of Columbus, including a woman's club room, will probably be accepted.

MONONGAHELA, PA.—Capt. William Plaat of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coke Company, purchased for excursion purposes a boat built by the Price Company for the Rev. Father Ryan of Pittsburg, who had intended it for his private use. The latter was compelled on account of health to leave Pittsburgh and sold the boat.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—President James McMahon of the National Blast Furnacemen's union, returned from Columbus, where he and National Secretary Clark met with a settlement of the strike of the furnacemen employed by the Shawnee Furnace Company. The company has agreed to recognize the union in the hiring of employes.

SHARON, PA.—The United States Steel corporation having extensive coal lands in the northern part of Lawrence county and the southern part of Mercer county, has decided to open up a further section. The Erie railroad route for an extension of the Pennsylvania railroad has been surveyed and work will be started within a short time.

ALLIANCE, O.—The Alliance Asbestos Company has organized here by electing the following officers: President, Dr. W. Snyder, Pittsburgh; vice president, A. E. Card, Connellsville; secretary, Dr. E. Brown, Chicago; treasurer, John T. Ben Ali, Alliance; general manager, H. M. Taylor. Besides the above, W. W. Stewart, F. T. Griffin and J. T. McKean, all of Connellsville, were elected directors. The plant will be located here.

Family Heirlooms

Gorham Silver

owing to its consummate workmanship and sterling quality will be classed among the most cherished household treasures of future generations.

STERLING

All responsible jewelers keep it.

STRIKE DECLARED OFF BY WEST VIRGINIA MINERS

New River and Loup Creek Struggle Ended After a Year's Duration.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CHARLESTON, W. VA., July 22.—The strike in the New River & Loup Creek coal field, which was called June 7, 1902, and for several months thereafter had almost the entire field tied up, has been officially declared off as the result of a conference held at Montgomery, W. Va., yesterday between officials of the Mine Workers' union and delegates from various local unions in the district.

President Kennedy of the mine workers of West Virginia, Harry Wright of Indianapolis, member of the national executive board of the Mine Workers; M. B. Evans of Saginaw, Mich., and other officials were here today preparing and mailing official notices to the miners all over the district.

The number of men who will be affected is less than 300, the remainder having either returned to work or removed from the field.

BLOOD POISONING RESULTS FROM DUSTERS AT CARNIVAL

GREENSBURG, PA., July 22.—(Special.)—Miss Mabel Saxman of East Otterman street, is suffering from blood poisoning as the result of the use of feather dusters on the streets of Greensburg during the carnival given by the Greensburg fire department. During the entire week confetti was thrown, and the dusters were used by the boys in removing it from the girls' faces. Fifty dozen feather dusters were brushed over the faces. Local physicians complained to the borough authorities that the practice should be stopped, saying that disease germs would be carried in the dusters.

College to Open at Greensburg.

GREENSBURG, PA., July 22.—(Special.)—Although injunction proceedings are still pending over the removal of Thiel college from Greenville, the board of trustees of that institution, at a meeting held here today, decided that the next school year will open at Greensburg on September 10. The buildings of the Greensburg seminary will be used for recitation purposes. Work on the erection of the new buildings will not be commenced until the injunction proceedings are disposed of.

FEWER
Dyspeptics.

There are today a less number of dyspeptics than when Wheat Meat was placed on the market several years ago. It is the followers of a Wheat Meat diet that have relieved the stomach of stomach and digestive ills. The reason for this is plain. Wheat Meat is a natural food, supplying the system with the elements it needs for rebuilding waste by strength-food and nerve without overburdening the stomach and the digestive organs. Wheat Meat strikes a balance in the internal economy, gives dyspeptics and such like no opportunity to get in their deadly work. Wheat Meat comes ready cooked, tastes delicious; has that nutty flavor. Nothing as good to eat. Fifteen cents a package at grocers.

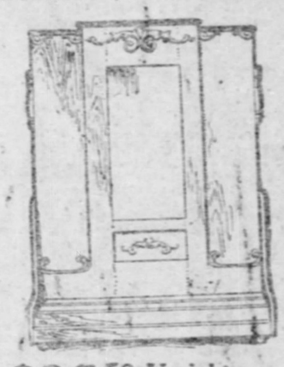
W. H. KEECH CO.

Buy a Folding Bed Now

Why? Because you can buy it for less than you'll have to pay in September or October. New goods—not a piece that is outlawed in style. Not one of them made only to catch the eye of careless buyers—but the odd lots from our regular stocks, at reduced prices. Prices start at $7.75 for good Iron Folding Beds and up to $105 for fine mahogany beds worth $125. **Our long credit terms secure these luxuries without sacrificing economy.**

$45 Combination Folding Bed

Just like illustration, occupies a floor space of only 26 inches by 54 inches. Yet it combines four pieces of useful furniture in one. Back lets down and makes a full size folding bed. In the front is a wardrobe with mirror in door; two book shelves, a writing desk and a cupboard. The wood is selected golden oak. Many other combinations with sideboard, dresser, wardrobe and chiffonier fronts. They are mounted on large casters—hence easy to handle.



$37.50 Upright Folding Bed

Complete with wire bed spring. Front has quartered golden oak panels and French bevel mirror. Rigid construction throughout. Easy to open or close.

$13.50 This Mantel Folding Bed

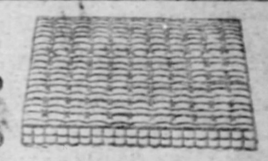
Complete with wire bed spring. Quartered oak panel front. Rigid construction. Room for all bed clothes when folded. This good folding bed is now priced lower than the common made bedsteads one so often sees. If you need a bed this fall, buy now.

Soft-Top Mattresses

To fit these upright or Combination Beds $1.50

All Cotton Mattresses

To fit any Folding Bed. Hand tufted cotton floss ticking. Stitched and bound edges... $6.50



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W. H. KEECH CO., 923 to 931 Penn Ave.

As Business Bringers Gazette Classified Ads Equal Any.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 65.)

AN ORDINANCE Changing the grade of Sorente street, Fifteenth ward, from Brighton avenue to Mary street.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Sorente street, Fifteenth ward, from Brighton avenue to Mary street, be and the same is hereby changed as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Sorente street and the north line of Brighton avenue, at an elevation of one hundred forty-four and seventy-three hundredths (144.73) feet above city datum; thence descending at a rate of seventy-five hundredths (1.75) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of five hundred ten (510) feet to a point, elevation one hundred thirty-five and seventy-three hundredths (135.73) feet above city datum; thence descending at a rate of forty-two and twenty-seven hundredths (42.27) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of eighty-one (81) feet to the south line of Mary street, elevation one hundred one and thirty-six hundredths (101.36) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 13th day of July, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILES, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 55.)

AN ORDINANCE Authorizing and ordering the construction of a footwalk through the West park, from the corner of Ohio street and Marion avenue to the corner of Stockton Avenue and Sherman avenue, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That the construction of a footwalk through the West park, from the corner of Ohio street and Marion avenue, to the corner of Stockton Avenue and Sherman avenue, and to the corner of Stockton avenue and Sherman avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Sec. 2. When said footwalk is completed the cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of street improvement bonds.

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 16th day of July, A. D. 1903.

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President of Select Council.

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LAFAYETTE WILES, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
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Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
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JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

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to the corner of Stockton avenue and Sherman avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

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Petticoats

IT'S not alone variety that makes our stock of petticoats attractive — exclusiveness of styles and moderate prices are even greater inducements. The word "moderate" in the last sentence might, with justice, be used in the superlative degree in describing these prices for today.

You are privileged to select any colored taffeta silk petticoat in our stock now marked $12 to $18 and pay the saleslady only **10.00**

Rustling, taffeta silk petticoats or drop skirts in black and good range of colors— choice from 500 at **3.98**

Mercerized sateen and wash petticoats—made with or without yoke bands, ruffled or accordeon pleated— **98c**

Wash petticoats, made of good quality percales or seersuckers—special assortment **50c**

Large table full of women's kimonas and dressing sacques, in desirable light and dark colors—choice **39c**

Women's kimonas—long or short style, made of good quality lawn or crepon, choice **98c**

All straw and panama hats at half price

THE gong will not be rung on straw hats until September 15th. This leaves almost two months of straw hat wearing time yet to come. But the sellers' season is always away ahead of the buyers'. So, it's high time to contract our lines. To do this quickly, we offer our entire stock of men's, boys' and children's straw hats and panamas at exactly half the marked prices. None reserved or excepted.

All men's $4 straw hats go at $2.00
All men's $3.50 straw hats go at 1.75
All men's $2.50 straw hats go at 1.25
All men's $1.90 straw hats go at 95c
All men's $1.50 straw hats go at 75c

All men's panamas marked $8.00 go at 4.00.

All men's panamas marked $15.00 go at 7.50.

All men's panamas marked $20.00 go at 10.00.

All children's $2.50 straw hats now 1.25
All children's $1.50 straw hats now 1.00
All children's $1.98 straw hats now 99c
All children's $1.50 straw hats now 75c
All children's 98c straw hats now 48c

For baby

GOOD, thin clothing, roomy enough to kick about in and no weight to it, will prevent baby from fretting and fuming these hot days.

Infants' dresses—long or short style, made of good quality cambric, also flannelette skirts, sacques, bibs, diapers, hose, bootees, etc., also children's waists with gathered fronts, plain or embroidery trimmed, sizes 2 to 15 years—choice from this assortment today **25c**

Several pretty styles of infants' cambric or nainsook dresses, long or short style, also cambric short skirts, caps, bands, hose, bootees, etc., all made from good, reliable cloth, choice from this assortment for **50c**

Babies' sleeks—made of light weight cashmere or bedford cord **2.98**

Children's wash dresses made of good quality lawn or gingham in light or dark colors, two special lines at 50c and **25c**

Children's wash hats and tams, shantungs in pink, blue or white, choice **25c**

Choice from our entire line of 75c and $1 straw crown hats, nicely trimmed in several colors **50c**

Ready-to-wear hats

ALL women's ready-to-wear and street hats that have borne prices from $1 to $1.50 have been transformed into a large assortment to be sold at a little price today. Notwithstanding the fact that these are all new goods in best braids and most charming styles, they are all reduced to **49c**

Women's sailor hats—of fine split braid; Knox block, sale price **1.25**

KAUFMANN'S
"THE BIG STORE"

Untrimmed hats

AT WOMAN'S we is clever assembling materials and we mould shapes and trimmings into a stylish hat should be decidedly interested in the sharing sale we have arranged for today. Hundreds of different shapes are included, a large variety of braids—formerly marked from 49c up to $1.25—reduced to **19c**

Leghorn hats—for women and misses—the genuine reduced to **49c**

Offers in wash goods that demand recognition from appreciative bargain seekers

THE banner money-saving offers of the year are announced for today. The new prices placed upon the various materials listed below bear telling evidence of the fact that we are determined upon an absolute clearance. The old prices were fair enough—in fact were lower than the lowest elsewhere. Todays sale prices are conspicuously lowered.

50c wash goods at, yd., 25c

Plain and embroidered silk warp mousseline in an extensive variety of fashionable street and pastel shades. This offer is for today only and requests for this material at this price after this sale will have to be refused.

25,000 yds. of this season's most popular imported wash fabrics, including:
French batistes
Persian lawns
Irish dimities
French percales
Scotch madras
Sheer zephyrs
35c goods at, yd., **15c**

900 yds. of shepherd checked mercerized foulards; a material that shows no decline in public favor and as it can be adapted to separate skirt or entire costumes its desirability is unquestioned. The quality we offer today has a high, lustrous finish and usually sells for 49c yd. These shepherd checked effects come in three sizes of black and white checks, today's sale price will be, yd., **25c**

1,200 yds. of silk and cotton grenadine. Owing to a late shipment of our order placed a fourth right and this material arrives at a time when its value has been decreased to us, it is therefore placed in the clearing sale at a price devoid of all profit for us but at a price that means a saving of 25c on each yard for you. These grenadines come in color combinations with neat embroidered silk stripes and voile grounds. **39c**

19,000 yds. of miscellaneous imported fabrics, including:
Linen suitings
Snowflake crashes
Etamine crashes
Jacquard linens
Burlap suitings
Oxford suitings
50c goods at, yd., **19c**

29c wash goods at, yd., 15c

Black and white check striped linen, the two shades that are most in demand, this material to be sold at this price for today only. It wears and looks as well as grenadine that costs 50c yd.—why not save the difference?

Silk reductions

THESE are silks that chime in with the present needs for skirts, waists and dresses. Qualities and styles are all that they should be, despite the extreme lowness of today's July clearing sale prices.

21-in. black India silks—for unlined dresses, suits and waists, deep lustrous black—reduced to, yd. **25c**

36-in. black taffeta silks—good heavy weight, high lustrous finish—worth 85c, reduced to, yd. **62½c**

21-in. white habutai—superior quality, proper weight for unlined waists and dresses, will wash and launder perfectly—yd., **21c**

27-in colored India silk—in 64 different shades—reduced for this sale to, yd., **44c**

32-in. pongee or tussor silk—the proper material for the new shirtwaist suits, coats, etc., this width cuts to very best advantage—usual $1 quality at, yd., **82½c**

ONE of New York's most prominent lace importing firms recently lost a partner. The heirs of the deceased partner, wishing to withdraw from the business, it was necessary to convert the stock into money in order to make an equitable adjustment on the basis of today's valuation of the goods. The importing season being over, the laces had to be sold for what they'd bring. We secured first choice of the stock, and you may be sure we didn't overlook the prettiest goods. And, here's the best part of the news, we only paid a trifle over half regular price for them. You now do the same.

The assortment includes Cluny lace bands, 2 to 4 in. wide, beautiful Venice lace bands in straight and separable patterns, pointe de Paris and Normandy Val. lace bands, medallion and serpentine patterns, black Chantilly lace bands, neat top Oriental edges, linen Torchon lace edgings and insertions to match, new Paraguay bands, and in fact, laces of all kinds for all purposes. We've combined these laces with the balance of our two other recent big purchases, and offer choice from all at, per yard,

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Wood fiber bands—a splendid assortment of those stylish floer silk Cluny bands, white or black, two to four in. wide—at, yd., 59c, down to **10c**

White ribbon beading and separate motif bands, very appropriate for making stock collars or trimming waists—real value like to 25c, at, yd., **10c**

Mexican bands—lovely hand drawn linen Mexican bands, also Cenerilfe and Paraguay bands, 2 to 3 in. wide—a splendid lines at, yd., 75c, 48c and **35c**

Embroidered flouncings—white swiss and nainsook, 12 to 15 in. wide, with ribbon beading or Val. lace trimmed edges—at, yd., 59c, 48c and **25c**

White & wash goods

WE started out at the beginning of the summer to do a phenomenal business in these lines and have succeeded admirably. Result—thousands of ends of full pieces have accumulated, and on these new prices have been placed—as compared with the old, the new are hardly recognizable.

Imported St. Gall embroidered swiss—small dots and large floral design—formerly marked up to $1, choice, yd., **39c**

45-in. Persian lawn—sheer and fine, imported to sell for 45c, clearing sale price, yd., **25c**

Fancy duck—fancy pique, striped cotton poplin and figured madras—25c and 35c qualities at, yd., **15c**

Manchester lawn—white linen finish, yd., **6½c**

Yoke lengths—cut ready for use, worth 25c and 35c each, at **2 for 25c**

Printed cambric—royal percales, printed batiste, cotton voile, covert cloths in mixed colors, black lawn, black nun's voiling, black crepon, etc., some of these materials were marked 25c, at this sale, choice, yd., **12½c**

1,000 pieces of fancy wash goods—several different materials in large and small designs on light and dark grounds—regular 12½c quality, choice, yd., **8½c**

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NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Philadelphia	3—New York	2
Boston	5—Brooklyn	2
St. Louis	8—Cincinnati	7
Pittsburgh	No Game	Chicago

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Philadelphia	3—Washington	1
Cleveland	7—St. Louis	0
New York	Rain	Boston
Chicago	No Game	Detroit

EVEN HOMESTEAD TEAM TAKES FALL OUT OF PIRATES

PIRATES LOST TO HOMESTEAD

Pitcher Pearson's Curves Puzzled the Pirates, Who Could Get but Two Safe Hits.

DOHENY LOST HIS OWN GAME

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	52	36	.671	Brooklyn	44	37	.597
New York	46	36	.605	Boston	41	44	.413
Chicago	40	38	.558	St. Louis	31	50	.383
Cincinnati	41	38	.519	Philadelphia	24	55	.304

LEAGUE GAMES TODAY.

Brooklyn at Boston.
New York at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at Chicago.

After dropping three straight games in Chicago, the Pirates returned home yesterday and furnished their friends with an additional shock by dropping an exhibition game to Howard Risher's fast Homestead team, the figures being 2 to 2. The contest was witnessed by 3,000 spectators who, when the ninth inning was over, gave the National league champions the laugh and cheered Risher's men vigorously.

The man who was mainly responsible for the downfall of the champions was Alex. Pearson, a pitcher who had been tried and found wanting in the National as well as the Eastern league. Pearson was out to show that the big leaguers had made a serious mistake in not thinking him fast enough for their organization, but he made a demonstration that will live in the Pirates' memories for some time to come. If he could always produce the pitching he showed yesterday he would have every steer in the National beaten a mile.

It was Pearson's good day, and the way he handled Fred Clarke's stars made them look like a crowd of players from the back lots. The Pirates started off as though they were going to drive Mr. Pearson out of the business in one inning, but that impression only lasted that inning, after which Risher's star settled down to business and not another hit was made off him. Some people said that the champions did not try hard, but that's all stuff and nonsense.

It is true that for the first five innings Clarke's crowd showed a carelessness at the bat, and Hans Wagner even batted left-handed, but after the fifth inning Clarke's men began to look serious these same Pirates strained every nerve, but try as they might, they could not get the ball safe. It was simply a case of where they held a player down cheap and that same pitcher sprung a surprise on them.

Pearson deserves all kinds of credit for the clever pitching display he put up yesterday and if he can be relied on by him would justify another trial in the big league and with the champions at that. Pearson not only pitched well, but the support accorded him behind the bat was a treat, all. The infielders fairly eat up base hits, while the outfielders took good care of everything that came their way. It was a case of where the Risher crowd looked like the champions and the Pirates like a lot of amateurs.

Had the game been perfectly played the wind-up would have been 2 to 0 in the champions' favor, but it was not, and the slip up which was made by Pitcher Doheny was responsible for Homestead's three runs. This happened in the third inning, when Ferguson, who was first up, was given a base on balls. Followed with two attempted sacrifices, but his bunt was poorly played, and it counted for a hit. Pearson also tried for a sacrifice, and Doheny fielded the ball, but he made just as good a throw to third, the ball going to the fence back of the bleachers, and all three of the runners scored.

The Pirates scored their two runs in the first inning. After Beaumont and Wagner had gone out, Bransfield singled to left and Tommy Leach, who followed, drove the ball to deep left center for a home run. In the fifth Wagner, one of the three Pirates reached first base. Leach got there on a base on balls in the fourth. Doheny walked in the fifth and Weaver got there on a fumble in the seventh, but Pearson was very steady at all times and so was Doheny, but the latter fairly lost his own game by his wild throw. The score:

Homest'd.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Pittsb'gh.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Wolter, r.	0	0	1	0	0	Beaum't, m.	0	0	1	0	0
Jackson, 3.	0	0	4	1	0	Wagner, s.	0	0	1	4	0
Tate, l.	0	0	1	1	0	Bransf'd, 1.	1	1	13	0	0
Cosgrove, 2.	0	1	3	5	0	Leach, c.	1	1	2	2	0
Milton, 1.	0	0	8	0	0	Ferg'son, 2.	0	0	3	2	0
Nicol, m.	0	0	1	0	0	Kruger, l.	0	0	0	0	0
Berg'n, s.	1	0	3	4	1	Kennedy, r.	0	0	4	0	0
Coursey, c.	1	0	2	1	0	Weaver, c.	0	0	4	0	0
Pearson, p.	1	1	0	2	0	Doheny, p.	0	0	1	2	1
Totals.	3	3	27	13	1	Totals.	2	2	27	11	1

Homestead	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2
Pittsburgh	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Home run—Leach. Double plays—Leach and Bransfield; Wagner, Ritchey and Bransfield; Coursey, Leach and Milton. First base on balls—By Doheny (1), Ferguson; by Pearson (2), Leach and Doheny. Struck out—Ferguson, McChesney, Tate, Violet. Time of game—1:50. Umpire—Parry.

GIANTS BEATEN AGAIN.

This Time the Quakers Turned the Trick.

PHILADELPHIA, July 22.—Keister's double and Taylor's wild throw on Barry's bunt gave Philadelphia today's game over New York. Attendance—1,537. Score:

N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Phila.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Browne, r.	1	1	1	1	0	Thomas, m.	1	1	0	0	1
V Ha'n, m.	1	1	4	0	0	Gleason, 2.	0	0	2	3	1
McGann, 1.	0	2	7	0	0	Wolv'n, 3.	0	2	1	2	0
Mentes, 3.	1	0	2	0	0	Hallman, 3.	0	0	1	1	0
Dahl, s.	0	0	1	3	0	Keister, 1.	1	2	5	6	0
Lauder, 2.	0	0	1	3	0	Barry, l.	0	1	1	2	0
Gilbert, 2.	0	1	4	4	1	Douglass, 1.	0	2	11	0	0
Bower'n, c.	0	0	6	3	1	Hulswitt, s.	0	1	1	3	0
McGinty, p.	0	0	0	1	0	Roth, c.	0	0	4	1	0
Taylor, p.	0	0	0	1	1	Sparks, p.	0	1	0	2	0
Totals.	3	6	27	13	3	Totals.	3	11	30	18	2

*No one out when winning run was scored.

New York	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2
Philadelphia	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—2

Two-base hits—Keister. Sacrifice hits—Taylor, Keister. Stolen bases—Thomas, Keister. Double plays—Wolverton, Gleason and Douglass; Dahl, Gilbert and McGann. Left on bases—New York, 5; Philadelphia, 9. First base on balls—Off McGinnity, 2; off Taylor, 2; off Sparks, 2. Hit by pitched balls—McGinnity, 1; Sparks, 1. Struck out—By Taylor, 4; by Sparks, 7. Time—1:55. Umpire—Emslie.

SCHMIDT WAS WILD.

Hanlon's Man Lost Game in the Early Innings.

BOSTON, July 22.—Before Schmidt settled down Boston scored runs enough to beat Brooklyn today, the final score being 5 to 2. Pittinger was effective throughout, while the Brooklyn man was wild and ineffective at the start. Neither of the home runs was made with men on bases. Abbaticchio and Flood fielded cleverly. Score:

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	B'klyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Cooley, l.	1	1	3	1	0	0	Strang, 3.	1	1	3	4	1
Tenney, 1.	1	1	14	0	0	0	Shock'd, 1.	1	1	2	1	0
Stan'y, m.	1	0	1	1	0	0	Dobbs, m.	0	0	1	0	0
Carney, r.	1	1	1	0	0	0	Doyle, l.	0	0	0	1	0
Moran, c.	1	1	6	1	0	0	Dahlen, s.	0	0	1	3	0
Abbat'o, 2.	0	1	4	5	0	0	McC'y, r.	0	1	0	0	0
Green'r, s.	0	0	0	3	1	0	Flood, 2.	0	0	1	1	4
Aubrey, 3.	0	0	0	1	4	0	Ritter, c.	0	0	4	1	0
Pittin'r, p.	0	0	0	0	2	1	Schmidt, p.	0	0	1	1	1
Totals.	5	9	27	15	2		Totals.	2	6	24	14	3

Boston	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—5
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	—2

Two-base hits—Cooley, Strang. Home runs—Moran, Shecklard. Double plays—Aubrey, Abbaticchio and Tenney. First base on balls—On Schmidt, 3; off Pittinger, 1. Struck out—By Pittinger, 4; by Schmidt, 6. Passed balls—Moran. Time—1:41. Umpire—Johnstone. Attendance—2,217.

Pittsburgh Caddies Win Again.

The Edgewood caddie golf team was defeated by the Pittsburgh caddies yesterday 25 to 5.

Pittsburgh Club.		Edgewood Golf Club.	
Wilson	6	W. McAfee	4
Hall	5	O. Windel	0
Ritchey	5	Telegraph	0
Wagner	5	Hall	0
Joyce	4	Wilson	1
Jones	0		
Total	25		5

SENATORS SAVED FROM SHUTOUT

Bryan's Homer Over the Fence in Opening Inning Proved Their Only Run.

PLANK PITCHED GOOD BALL

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	49	28	.636	Detroit	36	36	.500
Philadelphia	47	32	.595	Chicago	32	40	.444
Cleveland	41	36	.532	St. Louis	31	41	.431
New York	36	35	.507	Washington	25	52	.325

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, July 22.—A hit over the fence for a home run by Bryan saved Washington from a shutout today. Dunkle pitched his first game for the locals and created a favorable impression. In the absence of an umpire, Shreck and Patten officiated in that capacity. Score:

Washt'n.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Phila.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Moran, s.	0	2	3	2	2	Picker'g, m.	0	1	1	0	0
Ryan, m.	1	1	3	0	0	Davis, 1.	0	1	7	1	0
Drill, 1.	0	1	6	0	0	L. Cross, 3.	0	2	3	1	0
Selbach, l.	0	0	2	1	0	Seybold, r.	0	1	1	0	0
Lee, r.	0	1	2	0	0	Hoffman, l.	0	0	3	0	0
Rob'son, 3.	0	1	1	2	0	Murphy, 2.	1	1	1	0	0
McCor'k, 2.	0	0	3	1	0	M. Cross, s.	1	1	3	6	0
Kit'ge, c.	0	1	6	3	0	Powers, c.	0	1	8	1	0
Dunkle, p.	0	0	1	0	0	Plank, p.	0	1	1	2	0
Totals.	1	7	27	9	2	Totals.	3	9	27	12	0

Washington	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Philadelphia	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	—3

Two-base hits—Moran 2. Three-base hit—Robinson. Home run—Ryan. Stolen bases—Davis, M. Cross. Sacrifice hits—Davis, Plank. Double plays—Selbach to Moran; Kittridge to McCormick. First base on balls—Off Dunkle 5, off Plank 1. Hit by pitched ball—Robinson, Plank. Struck out—By Dunkle 5, by Plank 5. Left on bases—Washington 8, Philadelphia 10. Wild pitch—Plank. Time—2:10. Umpires—Schreck and Patten. Attendance—1,482.

THE BROWNS SHUT OUT.

McAleer's Men Could Not Find Moore's Curves.

CLEVELAND, O., July 22.—St. Louis was easy for Cleveland today and was shut out. Moore holding the Browns well in hand throughout. Cleveland bunched its hits in the third and sixth innings. Heidrick wrenched his ankle in the sixth inning and retired in favor of Gouzzie, an amateur from Niles, O. Score:

Cleve'd.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Bay, m.	0	1	0	0	0	Martin, r.	0	0	2	0	0
Bradley, s.	2	3	3	3	0	Heidr'k, m.	0	2	2	0	0
Lajoie, 2.	1	3	3	3	0	Gouzzie, 2.	0	0	0	1	0
Hick'n, 1.	1	1	10	0	0	Friel, 2.	0	0	1	4	3
Bernh'd, l.	0	1	1	0	0	Anders'n, l.	0	0	1	0	0
Flick, r.	1	1	2	0	0	Wallace, s.	0	0	0	2	0
Goehr'r, s.	0	0	0	2	0	Sugden, c.	0	1	13	0	0
Abbott, c.	1	0	8	0	1	Hill, 3.	0	0	0	1	1
Moore, p.	0	0	0	0	0	Hemphill, p.	0	1	0	0	0
						Evans, p.	0	0	0	1	0
Totals.	7	9	27	16	2	Totals.	0	6	24	12	1

Cleveland	0	0	2	0	0	4	1	0	*	—7
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Two-base hits—Bradley, Heidrick, Lajoie. Three-base hits—Flick. Sacrifice hit—Bradley, Moore, McCarthy. Double plays—Wallace, Friel and Anderson. First base on balls—By Moore, 1; by Evans, 2. Hit by pitched ball—Evans, 1. Left on bases—Cleveland, 4; St. Louis, 7. Struck out—By Moore, 2; by Evans, 1. Passed balls—Abbott, 1. Time—1:26. Umpire—O'Loughlin. Attendance—3,518.

JIMMY SEBRING MARRIED.

Got a Solid Silver Set From His Fellow Players.

WILLIAMSPORT, PA., July 22.—(Special.)—James D. Sebring, right fielder of the Pittsburgh National league, and Miss Elizabeth Milner, daughter of Sheriff Milner of this city, were married at 5 o'clock this afternoon by the Rev. Father Morelan of Scranton. Misses Etta C. Milner and Florence Sebring were the bridesmaids and Nathan Milner and Thomas Gray attended the groom. The wedding was solemnized in the residence portion of the county jail and was attended by a large number of guests. The Pittsburgh baseball team present was a solid silver dinner set and President Dreyfuss forwarded a check for $250.

SMOOT'S HOME RUN.

It Won the Game for the Cardinals in the Ninth Inning.

ST. LOUIS, July 22.—Smoot's sensational home run drive in the ninth inning with two out gave St. Louis the game today. Donlin's sensational throw to the plate, heading Burke off, was the fielding feature of the game. Attendance 2,300. Score:

St. Louis	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cincin.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Farrell, 2.	1	2	9	5	1	Donlin, l.	1	4	2	1	0
Donovan, r.	3	2	4	0	0	Seymour, m.	0	0	0	0	0
Smoot, m.	2	2	2	0	0	Dolan, r.	0	0	1	1	1
Brain, s.	0	0	0	1	0	Beckley, 1.	0	2	13	0	0
Demont, s.	1	2	1	2	0	Steinf't, s.	2	2	1	10	0
Barclay, 1.	0	2	9	0	0	Kelley, 2.	1	1	1	1	0
Burke, 3.	0	0	3	1	3	Peitz, 3.	0	0	2	1	5
Hackett, l.	0	0	14	0	0	Bergen, c.	0	2	1	7	0
O'Neil, c.	0	0	4	1	0	Harper, p.	0	1	1	0	0
Brown, p.	0	0	1	0	0						
Currie, p.	0	0	0	2	0						
*M. O'Neil.	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals.	8	12	27	14	2	Totals.	4	14	26	16	1

*Batted for Currie in ninth. †Two out when winning run was made.

St. Louis	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	—8
Cincinnati	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	—7

Two-base hits—Beckley, Harper. Three-base hits—Smoot, Steinfeldt. Home runs—Smoot, Steinfeldt. Double play—Donlin and Bergen. Passed balls—Bergen 2. Stolen bases—Farrell, Donovan 2, Demont, Burke, Steinfeldt, Peitz, Harper. First base on balls—Off Brown 1, off Currie 2, off Harper 2. Struck out—By Currie 2, by Harper 5. Left on bases—St. Louis 5, Cincinnati 10. Time—2:25. Umpire—Moran.

TO PLAY ALTOONA.

Wilhelm Sick and Clarke Has Shoulder in Cast.

The Pittsburgh champions will play at Altoona this afternoon. The team will be reinforced by Jimmy Sebring and Bucky Veil. Veil has been at his Williamsport home for some time past getting into shape. He may be pitched against Altoona; if not he then Phillippe will be sent in, according to Secretary Locke. Pitcher Wilhelm is at his home at Wooster ill. He will not join the team for another week.

Capt. Fred Clarke will not be in the game for some time. His injured shoulder has gone back on him again. Yesterday morning he visited his physician and had it put in another cast.

Central League Games.

FORT WAYNE, IND., July 22.—For eight innings Foreman pitched shutout ball, but five hits and a sacrifice gave Fort Wayne four runs in the ninth. Score: R. H. E.
Fort Wayne 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4—4 7 2
Wheeling 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—2 6 3

Batteries—Essick, Alberts and Myers; Foreman and Shannon.

EVANSVILLE, IND., July 22.—Goodwin, a new pitcher, lost the game through his wildness. Score:
Evansville 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 1
Dayton 4 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0—7 8 0

Batteries—Goodwin and McKinley; Hoff and Fuchs.

SOUTH BEND, IND., July 22.—South Bend kept up its batting streak today and scored 12 runs on 15 hits. Score: R. H. E.
South Bend 0 0 3 5 1 0 3 0 0—12 11 2
Grand Rapids 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 5 6

Batteries—Schafer and Andrews; Thomas and O'Neil.

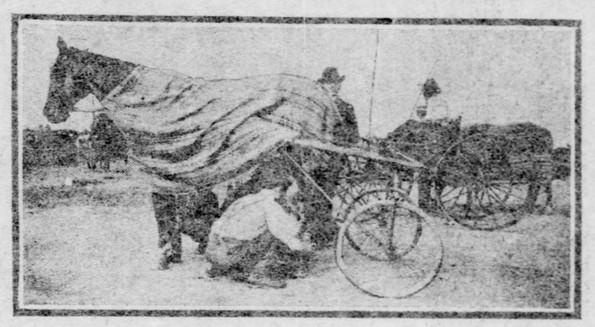
All-Cubans Shut Roscoe Out.

ROSCOE, PA., July 22.—(Special.)—Roscoe was shut out this afternoon by the All-Cubans in a game lasting only an hour and five minutes. The locals could not hit Carrillo and also ran bases poorly. The All-Cubans played a superb game in the field. Attendance, 600.

Roscoe	0	0	0
All-Cubans	0	1	0

Batteries—Wilkinson and Worcester; Carrillo and Molina.

At the Schenley Race Meet



Fixing Up For the Next Heat.

YOUNG CORBETT GETS DECISION OVER BRIGGS

Champion, However, Is Compelled to Go the Route of Ten Rounds.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BOSTON, MASS., July 22.—While "Young Corbett," champion featherweight of the world got the decision over Jimmy Briggs in their 10-round bout tonight before the Tammany club, the Boston boy gained considerable prestige by staying the limit. It was the second time the two had met and each time Briggs managed to stay with the champion the full length of the bout. An agreement to break clean was costly to Corbett, who does his greatest execution when fastened to his opponent.

Briggs used excellent ring judgment and kept away from Corbett's swings or ducked when he was pulled in close. As a consolation Briggs landed the last and only damaging blow and Briggs was fresh at the finish. Corbett's poor condition was evident as he refused to set a fast pace. Briggs grew more confident as the bout progressed and went at the champion with left swing and right cross, but was not able to let the champion do the worrying. For five rounds the bout was slow, Corbett simply stabbing his left, trying to get near enough to reach over his right, but he never got a chance, as Briggs was ready to step away or duck under the powerful blows.

The champion was faulty in measuring distance as many of his swings upon which he depended fell short or his wildness carried him past his mark.

The seventh was most vicious, as Corbett at this point mixed the fight and endeavored to finish it. Briggs by avoiding Corbett's rushes and keeping his head, stood the gaff well. The remainder of the bout lacked interest, as Corbett lacked steam and Briggs was playing a waiting game.

FITZ IS WILLING.

Says He Will Meet Gardner After the Big Fight.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 22.—(Special.)—Bob Fitzsimmons, learned today through your correspondent that Gardner was about to put up a forfeit of $5,000 with Tom O'Rourke to match with him. Fitz expressed himself as glad to see that Gardner meant business, and said he did also.

"I will meet Gardner just as soon after the Jeffries-Corbett fight as I possibly can," said Fitz. "I'd like to have the fight take place the same week, but Gardner hasn't come off in San Francisco. Nevertheless, I will go east after the fight on August 14 and draw up articles to fight Gardner. I will also insist upon a side bet. I'd like to step into the ring with Gardner right this minute. They say I'm too old. All this talk is nonsense. Each year I grow older I feel stronger. Today I know more about the fine points of the game than I ever knew.

"This California air is bully. It makes you big and strong and gives a different kind of life in you. I feel a hundred per cent better now than before I came here.

"I have received more good out of my work with Jeffries than I could have had with a corps of 50 sparring partners. I also believe I have done equally as well for Jeffries, and he is feeling in superb shape at the present, of course. I think Jeff will win. I can't figure how Corbett will possibly beat the champion."

CHARGED WITH RIOT.

Twenty-Seven Men Out on Bail in Connection With West Liberty Affair.

Twenty-seven men were held for court on charges of riot yesterday afternoon by Alderman John Groetzinger, on the information of County Detective Robert G. Robinson. Detective Robinson alleges that the men were all participants in the riot at West Liberty on May 31, which resulted in the death of two men and the injury of a dozen others. The alleged rioters all gave $300 bail and were released.

Those held are, John Loebert, 54 California street; D. Kirkpatrick, 58 Chalfant street; Charles Ott, 70 Washington avenue; Hugo Swartling, Montooth borough; John F. Hollis, Climax street; John Nellis, Freeland street; Charles O. Smyth, First avenue; John Nusser, Washington hotel; Charles Kestner, 21 Curtin street; J. J. Unger, 33 Dinwiddie street; James Hide, 50 Washington avenue; Robert Goldstein, 1842 Locust street; Domingo Cetzkus, 49 Washington avenue; James Gallich, Washington street; James Munzlker, 1174 Fifth avenue, and Nelson Foster. William Hunzer, Louden Campbell, Bert Verner, H. Bernstein, William Harper, W. DeWald, Benjamin Angela, Paddy Kelly, "Skinny" Schaffer, "Midge" Gaughan and Albert Pazoski, of Pittsburgh.

Six Held in Murder Case.

The inquest into the murder of Dominick Carle Saturday night in Compromise alley, was held yesterday, and the coroner's jury rendered a verdict holding Miss Carmelo Tommaso, Antonio Tommaso, Guyhelimo Mastrolanni, Domenico Conrarato, Putro Tripod and Ricco Ronio, as accessories to murder. All were committed to jail. Carle and Contarato were paying attention to Carmelo Tammaso. Contarato lost his position here and went to Cleveland. On his return he found the girl had taken up with Carle. This is supposed to have led to the quarrel.

Three Immigrants to Be Sent Back.

Immigrant Inspector Robert D. Layton will leave tonight for New York, taking with him three immigrants for deportation. Janny Antol, 38 years old, has become insane since landing in this country six months ago and will be returned to Hungary. Giovanni Marzari, 26 years old, will be returned to Italy. He has been in this country but six months and has become a public charge. The other to be deported is Pal Smutzka, a Hungarian about 50 years old. He is suffering from paresis and has been a public charge in the Woodville county home.

Jackson Held for Murder.

NEW YORK, July 22.—The coroner's jury in the inquest into the death of Charles W. Roxbury today found a verdict to the effect that deceased had come to his death at the hands of Charles Jackson, the negro who was arrested and identified by Miss Thomasch, Roxbury's companion on the night he was murdered.

Young Man Hurt in Runaway.

Robert Harris, 21 years old, of No. 229 Joncaine street, during a runaway accident yesterday afternoon was thrown from a wagon of the Curtis Clean Towel Company at Wood and Diamond streets. He received a bad cut on the chin, a sprained ankle and a general bruising.

TWELVE-TO-ONE SHOT WON MONTAUK STAKES

Long Shot Was a Long Shot Sure Enough—Great Crowd Watched Races in Rain.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 22.—As the special race between McChesney and Waterboy had been extensively advertised, there was a large crowd in attendance at Brighton Beach today. The weather was very unpleasant, as rain fell nearly all the afternoon and the track was heavy.

The Montauk stakes, for 2-yearolds, the features of the card, was won by Dick Shot, who was at the good price of 12 to 1. The favorite, the Southerner, was second. Tim Payne jumped away in front and showed the way to the first turn, but Singer, 6 to 1, and 7 to 1, to the front, and he appeared to be winning easily when Gaiman brought the favorite up with a rush, but was beaten a head on the post.

First race, 6 furlongs—Counterpoise, 109, Sullman, 8 to 5 and 1 to 2, won; Illyria, 111, Redfern, 20 to 1 and 8 to 1, second; Pirouette, 103, Gannon, 16 to 5 and even, third. Time 1:14 3-5.

Second race, Steeplechase, selling, about 2 miles—Jingle, 150, Singer, 6 to 1 and 7 to 5, won; Walter Cleary, 163, Ray, 4 to 5 and out, second; Gum Honey, 152, A. Jackson, 5 to 1 and 8 to 5, third. Time 5:04 2-5.

Third race, 1 mile and a furlong, selling—Andy Williams, 111, Odem, 7 to 10 and out, won; Daisy Green, 99, O'Brien, 12 to 1 and 3 to 1, second; Lady Potentate, 96, Connell, 6 to 1 and 6 to 5, third. Time 1:53 4-5.

Fourth race, the Montauk stakes, 6 furlongs—Long Shot, 107, Redfern, 12 to 1 and 4 to 1, won; Dick Shot, 122, Singer, 6 to 1 and 7 to 5, 7 to 10, second; Mohave, 107, Haack, 10 to 1 and 3 to 1, third. Time 1:14 2-5.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—Coral King, 112, Odom, 11 to 5 and even, won; Lida Lesh, 109, Fuller, 20 to 1 and 8 to 1, second; Donnelly, 112, Haack, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, third. Time 1:12 4-5.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles—Caviota, 102, Fuller, 10 to 1 and 5 to 2, won; Ella Snyder, 102, Gannon, 3 to 1 and even, second; Dekober, 104, Mathews, 3 to 5 and 3 to 5, third. Time 1:48 2-5.

THE HAWTHORNE RACES.

Two Outsiders Ran One, Two in the Handicap.

CHICAGO, July 22.—Warte Night and Ahola, the two extreme outsiders in the betting, ran one, two, in the mile handicap, the feature at Hawthorne today. Toah was third. The favorite, Schwalbe, heavily played, decided early honors with Appleby and Bragg. Summaries:

First race, 4½ furlongs—Martinus, 112, Dominick, 11 to 5, won; Instructor, 110, H. Sooker, 15 to 1, second; Cullinan, Wright, 110, Otis, 10 to 1, third. Time, :53 1-5.

Second race, steeple chase, short course, Ceylon, 145, Owens, 11 to 10, won; Arius, 148, Brazil, 10 to 1, second; Alma Girl, 134, J. Johnson, 3 to 1, third. Time, 2:24 3-5.

Third race, mile—Warte Night, 94, J. Booker, 12 to 1, won; Ahola, 90, L. Wilson, 15 to 1, second; Toah, 108, Winkfield, 13 to 5, third. Time, 1:40 3-5.

Fourth race, 8½ furlongs—Bard of Avon, 100, Wonderly, 9 to 2, won; Kilmorie, 93, L. Wilson, 5 to 2, second; Louisville, 102, B. Davies, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:48.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs—Trompeuse, 105, L. Wilson, 3 to 1, won; Sweetie, 105, Wonderly, 5 to 2, second; My Gem, 105, Henry, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:01 2-5.

Sixth race, mile—Postmaster Wright, 117, Dominick, 9 to 10, won; Galba, 112, Helgesen, 8 to 1, second; Sir Hugh, 100, Adkins, 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:41.

ENDURANCE TO TEST.

Jim Corbett Goes Through Hard Work Training and Is Fresh.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 22.—Jim Corbett has put his endurance to the test and is satisfied with the result. He engaged in a spell of fast work which occupied as much time as a 20-round contest would have done and he came through the ordeal feeling comparatively fresh. Jim's exercises were of a mixed character and at the end of every three minutes he enjoyed a minute's rest, just as he would have done had his work been made up of boxing alone. He went at the heavy swinging bag for a few rounds. Then he boxed with one of his sparring partners and wrestled with the other. Next he took a crack at the light ball and so on, punctuating his performance with one-minute rests until he had exercised at a lively clip for an hour and 20 minutes.

The rounds in which he stacked up against Yank Kenny and Sam Berger were particularly fast. He could not have made freer use of his arms. He was pleased generally if he had figured in a boxing bout where both men were carrying each other along at a merry pace from start to finish. Corbett has been working for this test for weeks past. He is particularly well pleased with the way his breathing apparatus stood the strain.

Feelings of uneasiness still exist among Corbett's personal friends in regard to Jim's appetite for work and the fear is expressed that will overreach himself. He has been advised to taper off to some extent, but Jim is inclined to resent advice on this subject. He says it is ridiculous to hint that he may overshoot the mark and become stale.

Greensburg Ready for Race.

GREENSBURG, PA., July 22.—(Special.)—Entries are being received already from prominent horsemen of Western Pennsylvania and Ohio for the big race meet to be given here by the Greensburg Driving club on August 12, 13 and 14. The stable that was wrecked by the flood of July 5 is being repaired and a new stable is being erected. Accommodations will be provided for 100 horses. The number expected to be entered in the races. All of the Greensburg horses that are now training for the meeting are being conditioned at Youngwood, the local track still being too soft.

Final Race a Disappointment.

NEWPORT, R. I., July 22.—The last run of the New York Yacht club cruise back from Vineyard Haven today was almost as disappointing as that of yesterday, at least so far as the 90-footers were concerned. Within a mile of the start the Reliance and Columbia struck bottom on the eastern end of the middle ground in Vineyard sound, and only the quick turn of the wheel saved the Constitution.

Expo Money Coming in Slowly.

The funds for the Pittsburgh exhibit at the Louisiana Purchase exposition are not coming into the chamber of commerce as fast as had been anticipated. The chief reason is said to be that number of firms are arranging private exhibits and they think the burden of the general Pittsburgh exhibit should be borne by those not having exhibits. Of the $25,000 necessary to carry out the plans, $6,000 has been subscribed, and it is expected that the councils will pass the ordinance appropriating $10,000 for the work. This leaves $9,000 to be raised.

Another Victim of Lockjaw.

CLEVELAND, O., July 22.—Ten deaths have resulted from lockjaw in this city since July 4, the latest victim being Joseph Stasko of No. 5 Berg street. He died as a result of a slight wound received in handling a toy pistol July 4.

M. & M. TROT IS SENSATIONAL

Classic Stake Event Unfinished, Warnscott and John Taylor Each Having Four Heats.

TAYLOR WAS IN A COLLISION

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

DETROIT, July 22.—Sunset this evening found the Merchants and Manufacturers $10,000 stake for 2:24 class trotters, the feature of the Blue Ribbon meeting of the Detroit Driving club at the Grosse Pointe track, still unfinished, with two heats to the credit of Wainscott, the decided favorite, and John Taylor. John Taylor's victory over Wainscott in the fourth heat, after an accident in the third heat in which Taylor collided with two other horses, then kicked loose from the sulky and ran for three-quarters of a mile, was the surprise of the afternoon and one of the most sensational heats in the history of the stake. There were only the two horses in the fourth heat, the rules of the stake providing that only heat winners shall start after the third heat.

SIGHS FOR DAYS OF OLD HOMES

Can't Get a Longfellow or an Emerson from a Modern Apartment House.

PLEA FOR THE RIGID RULES

Chautauqua Speaker Gives Interesting Talk on "America as Seen Through English Eyes"—Negro Problem Discussed.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y., July 22.—Mrs. Ormiston Chant, who is probably the most prominent woman in English public life today, and who is making a tour of the principal cities of this country, speaking to club women, gave an address here today on "America as Seen Through English Eyes." She was very frank and very fair.

Her principal theme was the home and the reaction against the stern and rigid rules that developed our greatest men. She says that an Emerson or Longfellow cannot be evolved from hotel or an apartment house. Mrs. Chant thinks the restriction of immigration is wrong. She illustrated by quoting some very nonsensical questions that she had to answer when she came over.

Every barrier, she says, that is erected to keep out those considered undesirable, keeps out also those that are desirable.

There is a very much better way of keeping your country free from the incursion of these barbarians and that is by a probation city where those who are under suspicion can be kept until they demonstrate their fitness for admission.

Speaking of protest to the czar over the

MRS. ORMISTON CHANT,
Who Lectured on "Home" at Chautauqua Yesterday.

Kishineff atrocities Mrs. Chant said: "I watched with earnestness the progress of that protest. Whether Russia accepted it, I cared not, for it will be of great future benefit both to those who made it and those for whom it was made. The great concern was whether the United States should be true to the principles with which she started. I only wish she could be worked up to the sticking point of making a protest against the indignities of the sultan."

Prof. Earl Barnes spoke on the white man's burden, the negro question. He said the time for sentimental consideration of this problem is past. We are far enough away from war to be able to look it squarely in the face. Our policy if we can be said to have a policy, which in fact we have not, has practically destroyed the Indians and native Hawaiians, but that will not work with the negroes.

He claims deportation is impracticable for there are 9,000,000 of them. Their intellectual constitution is such as to make industrial independence impossible for many years. The comingling of two alien races will not solve the problem, for the hybrid is worse than either parent and our instinct will not consent to the lowering of civilization we represent.

"I believe it will be through some kind of social relationship that we must find the element which will put the negro in his relation with the new civilization which we represent that will give him his large opportunity," he said in conclusion.

CORNER STONE LAYING.

Bishop Coadjutor Canevin to Be in Charge of the Ceremony.

The cornerstone of St. Phillip's Roman Catholic church at Crafton will be laid next Sunday at 3:30 p. m. The Right Rev. Regis J. F. Canevin, bishop coadjutor, will officiate at the ceremony, and the Rev. Father Quinn will deliver the sermon.

St. Phillip's church was organized in 1889 and for many years was a mission, a priest from Pittsburgh coming about once a month to celebrate mass. People living within 10 miles of the church drove in to attend the services. The old church is still standing on Steuben street, formerly the Steubenville pike, in the rear of the building being erected on Crafton avenue. The new church is being built of Cleveland limestone and when completed will cost $75,000. It will have a seating capacity of 800. The Rev. Father A. W. Kelly is pastor.

CAMP MEETING PROGRAM.

Pennsylvania Holiness Association and Methodists Complete Arrangements.

Camp meeting will begin at Mt. Sewickley next Sunday. Next Tuesday the Pennsylvania Holiness association will open the meetings, which will continue for 10 days, the Rev. M. McIntyre of Washington, Pa., having charge. On Friday, August 7th, the Methodists will open their meeting, which will also last 10 days, the Rev. Mr. Richardson of Sharpsburg being in charge.

The boarding house at the grounds has been open for two weeks and already over 30 of the cottages are occupied. At the time the meetings open a large number of families will be on the grounds.

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SIXTEEN-DAY OUTING TO TEN OF THE FINEST SEASHORE RESORTS IN THE WORLD—
Atlantic City,
Cape May,
Sea Isle City,
Ocean City,
Avalon,
Anglesea,
Wildwood,
Holly Beach, N. J.,
Rehoboth Beach, Del., or
Ocean City, Md.

On 30th inst., the Pennsylvania railroad will run their third seashore excursion. Leaving Pittsburgh, Union station, by special train at 8:55 a. m., with day coaches and Pullman parlor cars through to Atlantic City, via Delaware river bridge route, without change, at rate of ten dollars, good in coaches only, or twelve dollars in parlor or sleeping cars when accompanied by the usual Pullman tickets. Coaches to Philadelphia on 4:50 and 9 p. m. trains. Sleeping cars to Philadelphia and through to Atlantic City without change, at 10 p. m.

SOCIETY

THE board of managers of the Protestant Home for Incurables has issued a report of the home for the year ending May, 1903. At the annual meeting, held the first Tuesday in June, the following officers were re-elected: President, Miss Malinda Pressley; vice presidents, Mrs. Norman M. Smith, Mrs. George K. Stevenson, Mrs. John H. McKelvey; treasurer, Miss Eleanor J. Stevenson; secretary, Mrs. Mary C. Long. On account of ill health Miss Stevenson has since resigned her office as treasurer and the two offices of secretary and treasurer have been combined, Mrs. Long performing the duties of both. This is the first report issued by the managers of the home since 1889. Although the reports are supposed to be sent out triennially, the sending of this one was postponed for a year, the manager hoping that something might be said of the home for men, for which funds are being raised. The building fund committee having charge of this is composed of Mrs. Phascal Carr, chairman and treasurer; Mrs. Maria D. Book, Mrs. H. D. W. English, Mrs. John H. Ricketson, Jr., Miss Mary Aiken, Miss Eleanor J. Stevenson, Miss Alice W. Tindle and Mrs. Mary C. Long, donation secretary. The report of this committee is a need of $100,000, of which they are still short $85,000.

During the last year 10 applications for admission to the home were made, five of which were accepted. At present there are 27 women in the home and 12 men. The resignations of Mrs. Edward T. Dravo, in 1900, and Mrs. W. C. Kier in 1901, and the death of Mrs. Wilson Miller, in 1903, have made vacancies in the board of managers, which have been filled by Miss Bessie P. Stevenson, Mrs. John H. Ricketson, Jr., and Mrs. Robert Dodds Book. Vacancies caused by the deaths of John McKelvey and C. B. Shea were filled by John C. Slack and Andrew Long. The committee on religious services report at the women's home, 49 Sabbath afternoon services, three communion services and 50 prayer meetings. At the men's home, 46 Sabbath afternoon services, four communion services and 61 prayer meetings have been held. This committee is composed of Miss Eva W. Wallace and Miss Alice W. Tindle.

Bendle—Peightel.

Green and white were the prevailing colors yesterday evening at the wedding of Miss Ada Bendle and Augustus Cherry Peightel. The ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. Harry Main of the Sharpsburg English Lutheran church, took place at the home of the bride's father, George Bendle in Butler street. The hour was 8:30 o'clock. The bridal couple was unattended save for a small niece of the bride, Miss Margaret Stiltz, who served as flower maid. The ushers were Frank Gray and Malcolm Cherry, cousins of the bridegroom. The wedding party entered the parlor of the Bendle home to the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march, played by H. L. Blackford. The bride, given away by her father, wore a modish gown of white Persian lawn with lace trimmings. Her flowers were white sweet peas and lilies of the valley. The little flower maid, also in white, carried a basket of small white flowers.

Throughout the rooms on the first floor of the Bendle home dainty decorations were seen. Vases of flowers were also placed in the apartments on the second floor. Carnations, sweet peas, and many other smell white flowers combined to make a background for an exceedingly pretty home wedding. In the parlor, where the ceremony was performed, the mantel and fireplace were hidden under a profusion of ferns, palms and blossoms. Chandeliers were festooned in delicate ferns, with here and there a touch of the white. Doorways and staircase were also gracefully draped with greenery. Maidenhair fern with white roses and sweet peas composed a dainty centerpiece on the bride's table in the dining room. The mantels was banked, chandeliers decked and doorways draped in this apartment, much in the same manner as those of the parlor. After an eastern wedding trip Mr. Peightel and his bride will return to Pittsburgh to take up their residence at the Bendle home. Both Mr. and Mrs. Peightel are Pittsburghers, having lived in the city all their lives. Mrs. Peightel, prior to her marriage last evening, was a teacher in the McCandless school in Butler street. Mr. Peightel is a draftsman with the American Bridge Company.

Hawkins Home Bazar Arrangements.

The members of Major A. M. Harper circle, Ladies of the G. A. R., of Braddock, held a special meeting last evening and made arrangements for their portion of the program that is to be carried out at the annual anniversary and reception bazar, to be held at the Hawkins G. A. R. home on July 30. Major A. M. Harper Circle will have a table, and with other members, will have charge of several booths.

Dinner for an Honored Guest.

A pretty little dinner party was given by Miss Maude Murray at her home near Sewickley last evening. It was in honor of Miss Murray's guest, Miss Helen Carnahan of Beaver Falls. Twelve persons were present. The table decorations were of sweet peas and nasturtiums. This afternoon Miss Murray will give a fancy work party for the same honor guest.

By Tallyho to Turkey Foot.

Marion Woods, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Woods of Grant street, Sewickley, entertained 30 of her little friends with a tallyho party yesterday. They rode through the valley, taking dinner at Turkey Foot, near Sewickley. Mrs. Woods accompanied the party.

Flower Day at the Playgrounds.

Flower day at the summer playgrounds will be observed tomorrow, and the flower committee will be kept busy arranging nosegays with which to make the little ones of the two cities happier and brighter. More flowers are wanted by the committee, as too many cannot be secured.

Annual Picnic.

The annual picnic of Faith Chapel Sabbath school, Spring Garden borough, will be held at Oakwood park today. Different amusements have been arranged for, these including a ball game between the Sandusky street champions and the Spring Stars.

Picnic at Southern Park.

The members of the German Evangelical church, Jane street, South Side, held their annual picnic at Southern park yesterday. About 2,000 persons attended, 700 children alone having gone to the park in the morning after parading the streets.

Returned from Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Meyrick and Miss Neida Meyrick of Buena Vista street, Allegheny, have returned from Atlantic City, where they had been for some time past. They were stopping at the Hotel Roxborough in South Carolina avenue.

Pittsburghers in Indiana.

Miss Della Niemann and Miss Ida Niemann of Stratford avenue, East End, left yesterday for a month's visit to friends in Fort Wayne, Ind.

Wedded in Trinity Church.

Miss Rachel Burton became the wife of George S. Ashby of Federal street, Allegheny, yesterday afternoon. Miss Burton is an English girl, whom Mr. Ashby met while visiting in London, the home of the bride. The marriage service was read by the Rev. Eucitus Wilson Shey, the Rev. Dr. Alfred Arundel, rector of Trinity, being absent. The wedding was quiet, with only a few friends and relatives.

Lutes—M'Connel.

Miss Laura Moorehead Lutes and Frederick C. McConnel were quietly married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary Lutes of Boggs avenue, Mt. Washington, on Tuesday evening. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. C. Wilkinson of the Mt. Washington Baptist church at 7:30 o'clock. The house was prettily but simply decorated for the occasion in palms, ferns and potted plants. A reception followed the ceremony, the bride and bridegroom leaving afterward for a short wedding tour. The young couple will be at home in Boggs avenue after August 1.

Pittsburgher Married in Youngstown.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., July 22.—(Special)—Miss Mary E. Smeltz, daughter of D. W. Smeltz of this city, was married to John H. Laring of Pittsburgh at the home of her father this morning, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. William G. White of the Westminster Presbyterian church. An eastern wedding trip is being taken by the couple.

Delightful Children's Party.

One of yesterday's delightful social events was a children's party given by Miss Maud Garlick of Lytle street, Hazelwood. It was given in honor of two small cousins of the hostess, Miss Ethel Garlick of Hazelwood and Miss Fannie Speer of Wyandotte, Mich. The hours were from 3 to 5:30.

Lawn Fete at Wilkinsburg.

The members of the Sheridan Sabers band have arranged to give a lawn fete tomorrow and Saturday evenings. The proceeds will be used for the band equipment fund. The band will give a concert both evenings and there will be other features to entertain the guests.

Will Wed Today.

The marriage of Miss Mary Taggart Hare and William Mitchell Whitten takes place today at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Hare, in Spahr street. The ceremony will be solemnized at 7:30 o'clock. It will be a handsome event.

Sailed Yesterday.

Mrs. J. S. Marshall and J. B. Marshall of Sheffield street, Allegheny, sailed yesterday for Europe. While in New York they stopped at the Earlington. Mrs. Marshall and her son will return to this country about October 1st.

Home from Their Wedding Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith of Allegheny returned yesterday from their wedding trip.

Oakmont Social News.

Miss Ethel Hamilton will leave soon for a visit to Lake Chautauqua.

Miss Margaret Tiers is entertaining Miss Updegraff of Williamsport.

Miss Ruth Johnston gives an outing today for a few guests. This will be a delightful event, although very small.

Miss Mary Ellen Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Armstrong, goes to Berkley on the Jersey coast next week. Miss Armstrong will visit with a school friend from the Pennsylvania College for Women.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wade of "Robinswood" entertained with a boating party yesterday. The steamer Mayflower had been chartered and the guests were the workers of St. Thomas' Protestant Episcopal church of Oakmont and their friends.

Several little social affairs are being planned to take place soon in Oakmont society. Mrs. William H. Cooper will entertain shortly in honor of Miss Gertrude Bettes, her sister, and Dr. Cooper's sister, Miss Alice Cooper, both house guests of Dr. Cooper and his wife.

Miss Helen Crookston of Verona will give an informal house dance to a few friends this evening. Miss Crookston leaves in September to become a student at St. Xavier's academy in Latrobe. This evening's affair will be one of a few entertainments which she will give as farewells to her host of friends in Verona and Oakmont.

Col. Charles Fouche of Chattanooga, who, with his two daughters, Miss Fouche and Miss Katherine Fouche, has been the guest of Mrs. Alexander Thomas, left yesterday for his home. During their visit the Fouches were honor guests at an informal driving party given by Mrs. Thomas on Wednesday. Following the drive tea was served on the veranda of the Thomas home, the guests including Col. Fouche and his daughters, Miss Emma Johnston, Miss Mary Lee Paul, Miss Edith Arensberg, Miss Alice Paul, Mrs. Pleasants Baker, Miss Justine Wade, Miss Margaret Tiers and her guest, Miss Updegraff.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Clyde Bailey	New Kensington
Susie Cyphert	New Kensington
Ogden B. Shaw	Allegheny
Sarah E. Cloherty	Allegheny
Morris S. Wickersham	Aspinwall
Anne Taylor	Aspinwall
David M. Blackburn	Allegheny
Minnie V. Terry	Allegheny
Edgar P. Thompson	Pittsburgh
Alice Perkins	Leetsdale
Gus Lux	McKeesport
Margaret Ward	McKeesport
Michael J. Tierney, Jr.	McKeesport
Katie G. Conley	North Braddock
Frank F. Beele	Wilmerding
Virginia F. Strait	Wilkinsburg
Fred William Koehler	Allegheny
Catherine Freeman	Turtle Creek
Michael Halleron	Scottdale
Ella McElroy	Carnegie
William M. McCormick	Florence
Emma I. Neely	Florence
Michael Martin	Braddock
Ella Webster	North Braddock
Samuel G. Anderson	Pittsburgh
Elizabeth Walker	Pittsburgh
Harry Stagner	Pittsburgh
Pearl Hazen	Stoops Ferry
William K. Smith	McKeesport
Emma Campbell	McKeesport
Rowland E. Jacobs	Donora
F. Grace Richards	Wilkesbarre
Benjamin F. Brown	Pittsburgh
Adda H. Cherry	Allegheny
William Mitchell Whitten	Pittsburgh
Mary Taggart Hare	Pittsburgh
Frank Johnston	Pitcairn
Bertha Elkins	Copeland
Georgs W. Robb	Homestead
Karl Wargny	Pittsburgh
John Gallaway	Sewickley
Nanula Coleman	Sewickley

A SKIN OF BEAUTY IS A JOY FOREVER
DR. T. FELIX GOURAUD'S ORIENTAL CREAM, OR MAGICAL BEAUTIFIER

Removes Tan, Pimples, Freckles, Moth Patches, Rash and Blemishes on the skin, and every blemish on beauty, and defies detection. It has stood the test of fifty-four years, and is so harmless we taste it to be sure it is properly made. Accept no counterfeit of similar name. Dr. L. A. Sayre said to a lady of the haut-ton (a patient): "As you ladies will use them, I recommend 'GOURAUD'S CREAM' as the least harmful of all the Skin Preparations." For sale by all Druggists and Fancy Goods Dealers in the United States, Canadas, and Europe.
FERD. T. HOPKINS, Prop'r, 37 Great Jones St., N. Y.

Summer Curtains and Draperies Reduced

Mid-summer clearance makes low prices all along the line—

Odd lots of bordered tapestry and figured tapestry curtains—
Ruffled muslin-colored border snowflake curtains—
Irish Point, Renaissance and Nottingham Curtains

Reduced in some instances to less than half regular prices. See window display.

Summer Furniture Marked at Cost.

Oliver McClintock Co.
219 Fifth Ave.

$5,000. Reward for the Arrest and Conviction of—

—the parties who originated and circulated, the rumor that "Force" Food contained drugs or other injurious ingredients.

$5,000. additional will be paid to anyone proving that "Force" does, or ever did, contain any drug or other injurious or unhealthful ingredient, being composed solely of Wheat and Barley, with a seasoning of table salt, steam cooked, flaked, and roasted.

Do us the justice, if you question the absolute purity or healthfulness of "Force," to send a package to the Health Department of your city for analysis.

The "FORCE" Food Company. BUFFALO, N. Y.

Massachusetts College of Pharmacy.
BOSTON, June 25, 1903.

The "Force" Food Company, Buffalo, N. Y.:

GENTLEMEN—A rumor having reached me that your product, "FORCE," contained injurious ingredients, I took the occasion to analyze it, in the interest of my own family and of some friends who are liberal users of it.

It may interest you to know that I found it consisted exclusively of Whole Wheat, Barley and Salt, and is absolutely free from any injurious elements whatever.

Permit me to express my sincere regret that such a serious and baseless rumor should gain footing with the public.

You are free to use this letter in any way that will help to do your product justice.

Yours truly,
WILBUR L. SCOVILLE.

Massachusetts College of Pharmacy.
BOSTON, June 30, 1903.

To Whom It May Concern:

At the invitation of The "FORCE" Food Company, of Buffalo, I have visited their Mills and made a careful examination of the materials from which "FORCE" is prepared, and the processes which convert it into its finished condition.

I found that "FORCE" consists exclusively of what my previous analysis indicated, viz.: Whole Wheat and Barley, with a flavoring of Table Salt, flaked, cooked and sterilized by 800 degrees of heat.

A feature of the manufacture which impressed me considerably was the fact that the process is entirely mechanical, the food being prepared, cooked and boxed by machinery, without ever coming in contact with the hands or clothing of the mill operatives.

I was also gratified to note that an experienced Chemist daily supervised the entire output, and that each day's manufacture was also tested by an expert cook.

Signed, WILBUR L. SCOVILLE,
Professor of Theory and Practice of Chemistry.

Chemical Laboratory,
University of Buffalo,
HERBERT M. HILL, Ph. D.,
Analytical Chemist and Assayer.
June 26, 1903.

The "Force" Food Company, Buffalo, N. Y.:

GENTLEMEN—In view of the rumors regarding the alleged adulteration of "FORCE," it has been a satisfaction to me to visit your Mills, investigate, and analyze your product.

You are free to publish this statement made over my signature, that I found "FORCE" to be absolutely pure, consisting solely of Whole Wheat and Barley, flavored with table Salt, and free from any injurious substance whatever.

I examined, in detail, the various steps in the manufacture of your product, such as the steam cooking, the flaking and the roasting, as well as the packing, and find all to be remarkably clean and of absolute healthfulness. The final roasting is done at a temperature above 300° F., which, with the steam cooking, completely sterilizes the product, and the entire process, from the first step to the final sealing of the package, is a mechanical one, the product at no time coming in contact with the hands or clothing of the persons handling the machines or packages.

Very respectfully,
HERBERT M. HILL,
Chemist to the City of Buffalo.

See page 148 of "Cereal Breakfast Foods," Bulletin No. 84, of the Maine Experiment Station, a State Institution, which has analyzed "FORCE" with other foods, in the public interests.

Copy will be mailed free on request.

Refer also to Canadian Government Bulletin 84 on similar subject, pages 6 and 20, for analysis showing that "FORCE" consists solely of the most wholesome and nutritious ingredients.

Any inquiries concerning this subject will be cheerfully answered by
THE "FORCE" FOOD COMPANY,
Buffalo, N. Y.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 46.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a lateral sewer on Harrison avenue, Second and Tenth wards, from Clifton avenue to connect with main sewer on Drum street, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a lateral sewer on Harrison avenue, Second and Tenth wards, from Clifton avenue to connect with main sewer on Drum street, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work, in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils, this 16th day of July, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17th, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 55.)

AN ORDINANCE—Requiring the director of the department of public works to insert in all specifications and contracts hereafter entered into by the city with contractors for paving, grading, sewering, and repaving, regrading and for all other municipal improvements, a clause specifying certain amounts as liquidated damages in case the contracts are not completed within the time specified.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the director of the department of public works is hereby directed to insert in all specifications and contracts hereafter entered into by the city with contractors for grading, paving, sewering, and regrading, repaving and for all other municipal improvements, authorized to be done by the city, a clause specifying certain amounts which the contractor shall pay to the city as liquidated damages in case such contracts are not completed within the time specified in such contracts. Where the contract is $1,500 or a less sum there shall be inserted in such specifications and contracts a clause stipulating that such contractors shall pay to the city the sum of $25 per day for each and every day over and above the time within which such work was to have been completed; and where the contract is over and above the sum of $1,500 up to and including $10,000 the sum of $50 per day, and where the contract is over and above the sum of $10,000 the sum of $100 per day.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

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SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 48.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a lateral sewer on Nettle, Short and Main streets, and Bessie avenue, Fourteenth ward, from Royal street to Sunset avenue, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a lateral sewer on Nettle, Short and Main streets, and Bessie avenue, Fourteenth ward, from Royal street to Sunset avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

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President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 54.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the purchase of an automatic oiling device for the bureau of public lighting, and instructing the mayor and the director of the department of public works to advertise for proposals and award the contract for same. Payable out of appropriation No. 14, item No. 5, of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance making appropriations for the fiscal year beginning March 1, 1903."

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That the purchase of an automatic oiling device for the bureau of public lighting is hereby authorized. The mayor and the director of the department of public works are hereby instructed to advertise for proposals and award the contract for the same in accordance with the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania in such cases made and provided. The cost of same to be paid out of item No. 5, appropriation No. 14, provided for by an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance making appropriations for the fiscal year beginning March 1, 1903," approved by the city recorder on the 7th day of February, 1903.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 16th day of July, A. D. 1903.

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Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

RESORTS.

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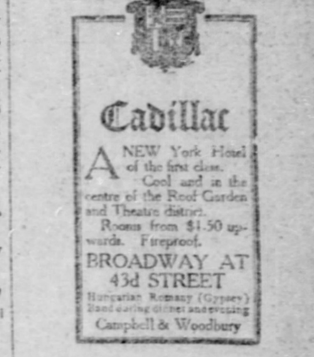

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THEATER PLANS FALLING AWAY

The Nixon Likely to Be the Only Playhouse Built for the Coming Season.

TUNNEL STREET TRANSACTION

Out of the six or more theaters that were projected early this year the Nixon in Sixth avenue is the only one that is likely to be ready for any part of this season's business. The others, with the exception of the Star theater to be built in Ninth street by Gulick & McNulty, and the Gaiety, to be erected in Duquesne way by Hyde & Behman of New York, were some time ago given up. Although these two playhouses will no doubt be built as originally planned, it is doubtful if Pittsburgh playgoers will get the benefit of them next winter. A second set of bids was taken two weeks ago by Architects Dodge & Morris of New York, the first estimates being entirely too high to meet the ideas of the owners. About a week ago some of the Pittsburgh contractors who figured on the job were invited to submit estimates for portions of the work, as the bids were still too high. This was taken to indicate that the job would be sub-let by the architects and the impression was also received that the theater would not be started before fall. Yesterday it was learned from a reliable source that the contract would not be awarded for a month. As it will require at least eight months to build the theater, it is evident that it will not be finished before next spring.

No Bids Asked on the Star.

Although the work of razing the St. Andrew's Episcopal church, where the Star theater is to be built, is going ahead rapidly, no bids have been asked for the erection of the new building, Messrs. Gulick & McNulty say that the project is going ahead as planned, but no bonds have been made for dates before January 1, and it is doubtful if the theater could be completed in time for any of next season's performances. Work on the Nixon theater is being pushed rapidly and it is expected to have the theater open by November 1. The decorating will be the most tedious part of the work, as the scheme is elaborate and will require at least six weeks to carry out.

Through the Safe Deposit & Trust Company the property of the Jane McGee heirs on the west side of Tunnel street, between Fifth and Wylie avenues, has been sold for $25,000. The lot is 40x140 feet and has erected on it two frame houses. This is the third sale of property in Tunnel street within the last six weeks, the two other properties being nearer Fifth avenue and bringing considerably more than the present sale, which was sold for $625 a front foot.

A Big Renting Contract.

The Idaho & Montana apartment houses, located in Penn avenue, between Fairmount avenue and Roup street, have been turned over to Samuel W. Black & Company to manage. They were recently bought by David Kirk. The buildings were erected two years ago, and each one contains eight apartments of five rooms and bath each. They are among the finest apartments in the city, as the entries are all finished in hard wood and provided with steam heat, gas and electric lights, speaking tubes, electric bells and all the modern conveniences. The ease with which first-class apartments are kept filled with good tenants is proof that they are coming into general favor in Pittsburgh. A few years ago when flat building first started here, even the best apartments could be rented only to people who had enjoyed flat life in other cities, but now most of the tenants leaving first-class homes to live in the new apartments.

A $20,000 residence will be built shortly on the north side of Center avenue adjoining the Christ Methodist Episcopal church as the result of a sale of a fine site through the same brokers. The property belonged to John G. Holmes of N. Holmes & Son and measures 450x145 feet. The purchaser is a well-known business man, who pays the $7,500 for the site.

Harry B. Naylor is mailing a handsome booklet descriptive of the 15-story Bessemer building, which is rapidly being enclosed at the corner of Diamond and Ross streets. The building will be finished by January 1 and will have the advantage of light on four sides, as the two-story annex on the south side will leave a 20-foot light shaft above it. Over one-third of the offices are already rented and three of the five store rooms on the first floor have been taken for a term of years. The building will be the closest office structure in the city, as it will have the river breezes on two sides.

Property Pays 12 Per Cent.

Murtland street: J. A. Young & Company sold for E. L. Brown to Frank Pfaller a double frame house, lot 25x100 feet, in Murtland street, for $2,850. This rents for $28 a month, which insures a gross income of 12 per cent on the investment. The same brokers sold for J. A. Young to the same buyer a lot 25x110 feet in Susquehanna street for $1,800.

Bennett: The Consolidated Real Estate Company sold for the E. G. Smith Real Estate Company to Maggie R. Sadler a three-story flat on lot 25x130 feet on the south side of Bennett street for $6,000. The same house sold for Sarah L. Hutchinson a frame house, lot 25x125 feet, on the east side of Oakwood street, for $4,500.

Atlantic avenue: The Aronson Realty Company sold for Mrs. Anna S. Dunn to William Rohn a five-room house, lot 24x100 feet, in North Atlantic avenue for $1,650.

Transfers Recorded.

McKee Sami R to S V Robinsteen, Mch 1, '03, Millvale, 40x180, Wood st..$ 9,500
Beatty Wm D to H Gredlein, July 16, '03, 15th wd, Alle, 20x95, East st.... 2,200
Gibsong Wm F to L H McCabe, July 8, '03, Collier twp, 48x72, Railroad st... 325
Same to same, July 8, '03, Collier twp, 100x135, Washington st..... 1,250
Saxton Clarence L to H Hannach, July 11, '03, 4th wd, Alle, 20x67, Robinson st..... 4,350
Mercantile Trust Co, rec, to A J Lesinsk, June 25, '03, 6th wd, Mc-Keesport, 20x115, Ulvin ave..... 1,750
Rattlesdorfer Jos to J C Rattlesdorfer, July 31, '03, Leet twp, 25x69, Broadway st..... 400
Mueller Frank to F Schweim, June 27, '03, 7th wd, Alle, lot, Robinson road.. 1,425
Hartman John B to L Almasy, July 18, '03, N Braddock, 24x141, Sedson ave..
O'Neil Wm D to T Hall, June 10, '03, Neville twp, 25x100, Fourth st..... 500
Ziegler Ernst to W F Sachs, July 10, '03, Millvale, lot, Evergreen road..... 2,500
McGregor Margaret A to A Shamp, July 27, '03, 7th wd, Pgh, 20x94, Davis st.. 4,000
Fatsis Magdalene to A H Kos, July 1, '03, 7th wd, Alle, 23x111, Tell st..... 700
Loeffler Max to I R Glemser, July 7, '03, 11th wd, Alle, 20x97, California ave.. 1,300
Stephen Charles to A E Meyer, July 1, '03, 6th wd, Alle, 20x120, Nixon st.... 4,200
Weger A E, trust, to G Stengel, July 1, '03, 6th wd, Alle, 20x120, Nixon st.... 6,000
Same to same, July 1, '03, 6th wd, Alle, 20x120, Nixon st..... 1,300
Loeffler Max to F Glemser, July 7, '03, 11th wd, Alle, 20x97, California ave.. 1,000
Reed Robt B to J R Craighill, July 31, '03, Oakmont, 80x155, Isabella st..... 4,700
Sloan Georgia M to J Breslin, July 6, '03, Scott twp, lot, Noblestown road.
Drexler Adalme H H Hartman, June 22, '03, McKees Rocks, 25x120, Township road.....
Lang Jacob to M Federieth, Mch 23, '03, Scott twp, 25x120, Noblestown road.. 2,000
Bagsley Ralph to J B Mahood, Mch 27, '03, 13th wd, Pgh, lot, Center ave. 25,000
Behrens H F Jr, to J B Myers, July 13, '03, 28th wd, Pgh, 25x100, Reidavon st..
Backert Anna C to F Schnetger, Feb 14, '03, Reserve twp, two lots.....
Wanner C H to A Loucks, July 13, '03, Aspinwall, lot, Second st.....
McCann Rebecca to H McCan, June 19, '03, Richland twp, 100 acres..... 1,050
Klenter Clemens to D H Secrist, June 20, '03, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x100, Inwood st.. 2,400
Paine Robt J to F Erelmann, June 27, '03, Ingram, lot..... 640
Same to J D Shanhoff, June 20, '03, Ingram, lot..... 440
Same to A D Byer, May 14, '03, Charters twp, lot..... 290
Vanklyk C R to H H King, Oct 25, '02, 5th wd, McKeesport, 30x100, Evans ave..... 1,500
Barry Elizabeth C to S W Lea, June 17, '03, Carnegie, 30x120, Knox ave..... 1,800
Fidelity Title & Trust Co, admr, to James Chien et al, July 10, '03, 7th wd, Pgh, 32x153, Washington st..... 14,225
Whitmore Harry C to J P Stephens, June 13, '03, 19th wd, Pgh, 31x117, St Clair st..... 7,800
Groggins David G to Mary Ball, July 8, '03, 10th wd, Pgh, 19x95, Lafayette st. 2,900
Bollinghery Susanna C to R Jackson, July 20, '03, Shaler twp, 50x120, Pike ave..... 300
Lesche Morris E to M Suporatis, June 25, '03, 7th wd, Pgh, 20x80, Congress st.. 6,500
Popowitz Michael to I Goldstein, July 8, '03, 7th wd, Pgh, 20x80, Congress st.. 7,500
Hopkins Alfred J to H E Kunkle, July 6, '03, 21st wd, Pgh, 22x155, Bennett st 28,000
Kunkle Bertha E to M Plath, July 7, '03, 21st wd, Pgh, lot, Bennett st..... 14,000
Downing P H to Oakland Land Impt Co, June 25, '03, Scott twp, lot, Noblestown road..... 500
Dengler Albert V to J Kass, June 4, '03, 27th wd, Pgh, 38x95, Cobden st..... 1,000
Leahy Katherine A to C M Koegler, July 28, '03, 28th wd, Pgh, 17x74, S Pennsylvania st..... 3,200
Livingston Annie M to J W Vinethouse, June 3, '03, Wilkinsburg, 25x120, Beatty ave..... 1,800

WANTED.

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Agents.

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MEN—Bright young man for real estate salesmen; $5 to $15 a day can easily be made. Apply at once.

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Most remarkable terms of payment ever made on city lots; $2 down, $2 to $5 a week.

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WANTED—100 men and boys, supernumeraries, extra people, for Pain's "Last Days of Pompeii," July 27 to August 8. Inquire Fiddis Pegg, advance stage manager, Kenyon hall, 827 Federal street, Allegheny, Friday 7:30 p. m.

WANTED—A first-class electrician for a department store; furnish best reference and state salary expected. Address C 95, The Gazette.

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Female Help.

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GIRLS—6 dining room girls at 1129 Liberty ave.

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Real Estate.

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Miscellaneous.

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Protect your house with good paint put on by a trustworthy painter.
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THE MAPLEWOOD,
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COOLEST SPOT IN THE TWO CITIES. JUST THE PLACE TO SPEND THE SUMMER. ROOMS AND BOARD EXTREMELY LOW RATE.

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PERRYSVILLE AVE.—12-room frame dwelling; 3 acres beautiful grounds; all modern conveniences; $75 per month.

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New 7 room modern brick house, all conveniences, possession immediately. Only 20 minutes by two trolley lines from center of city.
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Take Knoxville cars on Smithfield st. or Fourth ave.

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BEELEN ST.—8-room frame.....$11
CARSON ST.—3-room frame.....$15
FIFTH AVE.—5-room brick, basement.....$25
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WINEBIDDLE AVE.—6-room brick, yard..$15
ARONSON REALTY CO.,
Ardson Bldg., 646 Fifth ave.

FOR RENT,
Castleman st., between Morewood and Amberson aves., Shadyside, brick house, 10 rooms, with modern improvements; completely furnished.
S. H. LLOYD, No. 6022 Penn ave., E. E., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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FOR RENT—
93 WOODLAND AVE., NEAR CALIFORNIA AVE.
Brick house of 8 rooms; bath, gases, etc.; newly papered throughout; possession at once; rent $27.50.

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East End Residences.

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Olivant st., frame, 6 rooms.....$13.00
Kedron ave., part of house, 5 rooms..... 21.00
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Larimer ave., brick, 8 rooms..... 47.50
Mellvin st., frame, 10 rooms..... 50.00
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6138 Penn ave.

Allegheny.

FOR RENT—No. 1213 Sheffield st., Allegheny, fine 8-story brick dwelling, 10 rooms, all modern improvements.
A. D. WILSON,
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THE Akron Apartments, Center ave. and Craig st.; up-to-date in every appointment; 5 and 6 rooms; renting for $46 to $55, including janitor service and heat, and all other modern conveniences. For further particulars apply to the
UNION REALTY CO.,
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Four exceptionally large rooms and bath, each. Convenient to car lines and steam cars. Ready August 1. $28 and $30.
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FOR RENT
For Light Manufacturing.
Eight rooms 20x40 feet each, or 4 rooms 20x80 feet each; central location; good light; will rent with or without power, elevator service, light, etc.
CONSOLIDATED REAL ESTATE CO.,
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426 Fourth ave.—Two desirable well-lighted offices.
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308 Fourth ave.

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FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE—A splendid opportunity for a specialist physician to acquire one of the most valuable and finest locations on Fifth avenue, directly opposite the Schenley Hotel, Grant boulevard. The dwelling contains 24 rooms, finely finished, to which is added an Assembly parties, with handsome grounds of 62x150 feet, with a Schenley lease of 40 years, unexpired from April 1, 1904. This lease is at a very low rate, at this date is considered very valuable for the time it has to run. Any one acquiring this lease will also step into Dr. A. Gollwitzer's practice, as he wishes to retire. His practice is very valuable, and will not be considered in the matter of making a high price on lease and dwelling. Address Henry, C. Hachmeister, No. 1910-12, Forbes ave., city.

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FOR SALE.
At Swissvale; on car line, one square from railroad; 8-room, 2-story brick; slate roof; and 8-room houses; bath, 2 w. c.'s, furnaces, laundry, instantaneous water heater, cemented cellar, houses thoroughly well built and papered throughout; $8,500, only $500 cash needed; man there all the time; go out on Swissvale and Rankin car; get off at Florence ave.

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When you can buy a home of five rooms, six rooms and seven rooms, located at Elliott Park, within fifteen minutes' car ride of the business center of Pittsburgh, $200 cash payment down, balance as rent; take Elliott and Sheraden car, corner Fifth st. and Liberty ave., get off at Lorenz ave. and walk north two blocks; see agents on the ground or write for particulars.

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FOR SALE—12-roomed house, near New Castle and the factories of Western Pennsylvania, price $1,500; $700 cash, balance on time; pays 15 per cent on the investment, as it rents for $20. For particulars apply to
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$3,300—AVALON—$500 CASH.
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House of 6 rooms, hall, bath, gas, etc.; street paved, one square from car line; immediate possession.

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FOR SALE—Will take any reasonable offer for house, 4 rooms, water in kitchen, w. c. in cellar, lot 50x100 ft. Want to sell. Call and see about this.

A. D. WILSON,
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$25—Avalon; 6 rooms; very convenient.
$9—Jacks Run, 4 rooms.
$15—Sheraden, 5 rooms, new house.
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IRON CITY REALTY CO., 315 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—East McKeesport, frame house, 5 rooms, water, bath, w. c. and c. Lot 50x160 ft. Only $2,000. Easy terms.

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FOR SALE—Fine new brick residence; modern in every respect; 9 large rooms; tile bath, laundry and pantry. Inquire on premises, No. 310 Hutchinson ave., Edgewood.

FOR SALE—2011 McCord st., head Twenty-seventh st., South Side, house 5 rooms; price $1,300; easy terms.
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FOR SALE—New seven-room Bellevue house; porches, hall, bath, gas, electric light, heater; $5,600. Robert Dodds, 2050 Charliers, Allegheny.

FOR SALE—Logan st., 7-room brick, rented $480 per year; price $4,500; easy terms.
JAMES A. COOPER & CO., 433 Fourth ave.

$525—Sheraden cottage, 3 rooms, gas, water. $1,200—Walker's Mills, 4 rooms, 7 acres.
IRON CITY REALTY CO., 315 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—Near station, Wilkinsburg, modern brick home, 8 rooms; cheap to quick buyer. Address T, 28, The Gazette.

$1,600—Sheraden; new house, 5 rooms, gas, water, porches, payments like rent.

East End Residences.

12 PER CENT NET
Can be made on the cash invested.
$1,000
Balance $4,700; easy payments, to suit purchaser; will buy a new 10-room, solid brick house, with bath, instantaneous water heater, laundry, etc., etc. Everything as complete as can be made. An up-to-date house. Located on paved and sewered street in East End. The rent now received will pay 12 per cent net on cash invested, or if desired for a home you can get nothing like it for the money.
GEO. R. LAUMAN, 485 Fourth ave.

EVERYBODY SING, said the leader of the chorus, and they all raised their voices and sang the praise of those beautiful houses on Hermitage st., in Beimar Plan, E. E. (Any East End street car conductor will tell you where Beimar Plan is.) Send you wife out to see them.

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Rosetta, near Winebiddle ave., frame house of 5 rooms, porch, water, sewer; lot 26x100, four squares from Penn ave.
D. BEHEN & SON,
4200 Penn ave.

FOR SALE.

East End Residences.

$5,750.
Corner Atlantic and Dauphin sts., a beautiful frame, 8 rooms, hall, bath, pantry, cement cellar, range, sliding doors, china closet, hardwood mantels, gas, porches; lot 20x100 ft.; both streets paved and sewered.
D. BEHEN & SON,
4200 Penn ave.

$4,250.
Penn, near Main st.; this property would be cheap at $6,000; brick, six rooms, attic, bath, gas, hall, hot and cold water, inside w. c.; lot 20x97 ft.
D. BEHEN & SON,
4200 Penn ave.

Allegheny Residences.

FOR SALE—Arch st., south of and near parks, brick dwelling of 11 rooms, modern conveniences; in prime condition. Lot extends through to Morton st. Owner desires to effect a quick sale. Have low price for this very desirable property.
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE & TRUST COMPANY.
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A CHANCE FOR A POOR MAN.
ON PORTMAN STREET. Good residence location. Lots 25x86 feet each, with new frame dwelling, bath, etc. Just $250 cash needed, and balance $20 month. Price $2,000.
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FOR SALE—WESTERN AVE. AND FULTON ST.
Fine residence at a bargain price to effect an early sale, owing to owner's removal; commodious house; comparatively new; large lot.
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Real Estate—Special.

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PERRYSVILLE AVE. DISTRICT.
Bellvue, Avalon, Ben Avon, Emsworth.
HENRY W. ARMSTRONG,
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O. C. HURST
For bargains in real estate, farm lands, etc. Farmers Bank Bldg. 'Phone 1339 Grant. General Insurance.

Summer Residences.

FOR SALE—Country home, 10 miles from the city, on P. & W. R. R.; 2 acres of ground; plenty of fruit and shade trees; would make an excellent poultry farm; 5 minutes from R. R. station; price $2,500, easy terms.
JOHN ROGERS,
404 Keystone Bank building.

FOR SALE—Country home, P. & L. E. R. R., 1¼ miles street car and station; center hall house, 8 rooms; magnificent view Ohio river and surrounding country; price $5,000; a beauty spot.
JAMES A. COOPER & CO., 433 Fourth ave.

Business Properties.

FORBES ST. FORBES ST.
(Hump District.) (Hump District.)
A few blocks from court house; present brick business building; store and 10 rooms; also brick dwelling in rear, lot 115 feet to Anna st.; rents about $3,000; can bring more rent. Special option price, $150 a foot cheaper than adjoining property.
ARONSON REALTY CO.,
Aronson Bldg., 646 Fifth ave.

Lots.

WATER STREET FRONTAGE.
30 ft. fronting on Water st. and First ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.
S. A. GIBSON & CO., 401 Grant st.

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GENERAL STORE—One of the best locations in the county; right at paper mill yards and car shops; full line of gents' furnishing, shoes, etc., has been a money-maker for years; is better now than ever. On account of illness will sell at invoice; about $4,000.

MERCHANT TAILOR BUSINESS — On main street of good town; close to city; estab. 25 years; low rent; doing $3,000 yearly; owner is leaving and will turn over everything for $1,500.

MURTHA & BROWN,
Room 2, Schmidt Bldg., 539 Fifth ave.

FOR SALE.
DRYGOODS STORE AT McKEES ROCKS.
Doing good business, good stand, close to the works; 90 cents the dollar; will invoice about $3,500.00.

RESTAURANT—running day and night; a money maker; stock and fixtures will invoice $750.00; if sold today, $500.00.
LEVY & SPARKS,
411-Ferguson Bldg., 320 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.
STATIONERY, CIGAR, TOBACCO AND CONFECTIONERY STORE.
Fifth ave., the soda fountain is very busy and making money; only $500.00.
LEVY & SPARKS,
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TRANSFER—Old-established; 16 head horses going every day; 22 wagons; barn large enough to store all equipment for general teaming and trucking business; a rare bargain; have good reasons for selling; price $8,000. Address D 55, The Gazette.

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EWING & WHITE, 212 Ferguson Bldg., 320 Fourth ave.

BARBER SHOP—Excellent location, in Wilkinsburg; nets $30 to $35 per week; $400; cheap rent.
O. C. HURST,
Farmers Bank Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

BUTTER, EGGS AND POULTRY STORE—In Allegheny; doing good business; sales average $50 day; rent $30, mo.; price $1,500.
CAVANAGH CO., 451 Fourth ave.

BUSINESS of all kinds bought and sold; partners secured for established business, etc.; all transactions strictly confidential.
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IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH & CO., 451 Fourth ave.

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YOU CAN DOUBLE YOUR MONEY
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OPPORTUNITY to procure ground-floor treasury stock in a money-maker. No watered stock; full paid and non-assessable; 8 per cent cash dividends; highly recommended by national bankers; stands keenest investigation. Address Portery, D 95, The Gazette.

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One Point Margin—"Off the Board."
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314 Fourth ave.

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FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 2 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers, and large lot of miscellaneous machinery; second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
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HOISTING and stationary engines, BOILERS, steam and centrifugal PUMPS, DERRICKS and general contractor's plant; send for list. NEW and SECOND HAND. CONTRACTORS SUPPLY CO., PARK BLDG Phone 472 Grant.

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FANS! FANS! FANS!
Belted or electric, also exhaust wheels.
BRIGGS MACHINERY CO.,
Fourth and Liberty aves., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Horses and Vehicles.

FOR SALE—A family broken pacing horse, 1,125 pounds; just the right horse for general use; also small depot wagon or family carriage with case and can pace a 2:30 clip hooked to a runabout on the road; is afraid of nothing; nicely marked; white face, two white front feet; a red bay; is a very attractive horse; is not cheap; will give a trial to responsible party; price low for this kind of a horse; can be seen at Shanahan Transfer & Storage Co., Magee st., near Fifth ave., city.

FOR SALE—Two pair fine carriage and driving horses; several single driving and saddle horses, at Thubron's, Federal st. and Montgomery ave., Allegheny.

FOR SALE—Several second-hand runabouts at your own price at Thubron's, Federal and Montgomery ave., Allegheny.

FOR SALE—A good horse, buggy and harness. Inquire McIntosh, Turtle Creek, Pa.

Sewing Machines.

CLEARANCE SALE—In all makes of sewing machines. CARTER SEWING MACHINE COMPANY, 131 Sixth st., next to Bijou theater.

FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE—$400 upright piano; used less than a year; for $185; this is strictly a good, reliable, first-class piano, and must be seen to be appreciated; we have other used uprights from $125 up, but this $185 piano is best value in town, being a large size, beautifully handcarved case, ivory keys and fine action and tone; can be secured on easy terms at a slight advance, at
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611-613 Smithfield st., Lewis Block.
(Established 50 years.)

SPECIAL PIANOS—ORGANS.
$350 Cable Piano.....$35
$315 Cumminks Piano.....$50
$270 Hoffman Piano.....$45
$360 Knabe Piano.....$75
$100 Shoninger Organ.....$15
$123 Wilcox & White Organ.....$22
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Make your own terms on these at
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LOVELY, $560 upright; cover, stool; student sacrifices. "Box 471, Pittsburgh.

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REMINGTON TYPEWRITERS on rental; $3 per month and up; good work and prompt service guaranteed by our superior facilities and natural interest in the reputation of our machines.
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'Phones 1549 Court, 66 Main.

PRACTICALLY new Remington, Smith Premier and Hammond, cheap.
PHILADELPHIA TYPEWRITER EXCHANGE,
323-4 Lewis Building.

FOR SALE—No. 7 Remington; almost new; $40.00. Address H 79, The Gazette.

Bar Fixtures.

AT lowest prices for cash or time; make your own terms; bar fixtures, work boards, pumps, billiard tables, safes, etc. E. Delp Sons, corner Fourth and Liberty streets.

Miscellaneous.

TO ARCHITECTS AND OTHERS WHO know lettering and signs in keeping with architecture, call from 8 to 9 a. m. Byrne, painter, 634 Fifth ave. Both telephones.

FOR SALE—Bargains in new and second-hand office furniture. Entrance, Alexander, Baker & Co., Ltd., 308 Wood st.

FOR SALE—Brass beds, rockers, rugs, square piano, dressers, etc. Storage House, 5014 Center ave., East End.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3521 Butler st. Both telephones.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

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Colonial House, Stanton Ave.

Twelve-room, center hall buff brick, hardwood floors, finished in hardwood, has all modern improvements; has large lot; owner will consider good lot or improved property.
C. C. HAMILTON,
714 Penn ave.
Bell 'phone 155 Court—P. & A., 2351 Main.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

A most desirable 2¼-acre building site in Ben Avon, 100x650 ft., with sidewalk, city and well water, gas, sewerage, etc.; 4-room house, two stables, chicken house, etc.; abundance of good fruit; price $5,000; call us up; we know you will be pleased with this.
THOMPSON-VOWINCKEL CO.,
531 Fourth ave.
'Phones—Bell, 1484 Court; P. & A., 3100 Main.

RECORDED plan of lots near Carson street, South Side, will exchange for salable merchandise. Address Samuel Kramer, 407 Arrott building.

PROPOSALS.

Proposals for Pennsylvania State Building at Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

Philadelphia, July 18, 1903.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Pennsylvania Commission to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, No. 140 Real Estate Building, Philadelphia, Pa., until Monday, August 3, 1903, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the erection of the proposed Pennsylvania State Building to be erected at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, St. Louis, Missouri. Plans and specifications showing location, etc., may be obtained at the office of the architect, Philip H. Johnson, 140 Real Estate Building, Philadelphia, Pa. Bids from other than those engaged in actual business in the general branches therein mentioned will not be entertained or considered. The commission reserves the right to accept as a whole or in part, or reject any or all bids as may be deemed best for the interest of the commonwealth.

Proposals will be received for furnishing the building. Specifications for this work may also be obtained at the office of the architect.

HENRY F. WALTON,
Chairman Executive Committee.
JAMES H. LAMBERT,
Executive Officer.
PHILIP H. JOHNSON,
Architect.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, 2001 I St. N. W., Washington, D. C., June 10, 1903. Sealed proposals for construction of a highway bridge across Potomac river at Washington, D.

BETTER FEELING IN WALL STREET

General Recovery in Prices on Investment Buying and Shorts Covering, but the Market Closed below the Best.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

While the eastern stock market closed considerably below the best prices of the day, there was a better feeling in the street than at the close on Tuesday. Some apprehension prevailed before the opening over the probability that the bear party would renew its attack upon the steel stocks, and the tenor of gossip was unmistakably bearish. But the initial quotations showed moderate advances, and after an attempt had been made to establish new low record prices, the tone gradually improved. U. S. Steel common opened at 22¾, an advance of ⅝, and after selling off a fraction, rallied to 24⅛, where it held comparatively firm until the last half hour. The preferred opened ⅝ higher at 70½, reacted to 70¼, and then gained steadily until it reached 72¾, which price was quoted shortly after the noon hour. The other industrials also presented a better appearance. Amalgamated Copper opened higher and touched 69¾, when the announcement of a cut in the price of the metal caused a reaction to 65¾. Sugar advanced 3 per cent to 116, and Peoples Gas 3 per cent to 96¾. The miner iron and steel stocks were all firmer. American Locomotive preferred jumped 5 per cent to 87 and Republic Iron & Steel preferred was 3 per cent higher at 70. Meanwhile the railroad list was strong, and the rally was aided by higher London quotations and purchases by foreigners. Erie first preferred was one of the strongest features in the early dealings, opening 1½ per cent higher at 67 and advancing to 68¼, the movement being on the declaration of a 2 per cent dividend, which was not announced until after the close of the market on Tuesday. The Reading stocks were also firm and higher, and Pennsylvania, New York Central, St. Paul, Missouri Pacific, Baltimore & Ohio, Atchison and Wabash preferred showed gains ranging from 1 to 2 per cent. Throughout the list there was an increase in commission house buying, and after the first few minutes the shorts covered freely. For the first two hours trading was active, the sales reaching 438,000 shares. Then ensued a period of dullness, during which the market wavered. The steel stocks sold off frantically, while the railroads held their own fairly well. In the closing half hour a drive was made against U. S. Steel. The common declined a point, while the preferred lost 1¼ per cent, selling down to 71¼. This movement caused profit-taking in the general list, and the effect was a general reaction, ranging from 1 to 1¼ per cent, the market closing barely steady but at fractional gains for the day. The total sales were 713,000 shares.

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While the street experienced a feeling of relief over the course of the market yesterday, general sentiment is by no means confident of the future. Liquidation in the railroad list seems to have been complete, but the bears now contend that it must go farther in the industrials. The argument is that many of the latter will be in the money market for means to make additional improvements and extensions, just as some of the railroads have been compelled to do. While this argument will not apply to U. S. Steel, which has anticipated these requirements, the bears have adopted the time-worn custom of anticipating the future action of the directors in the matter of dividends. Wagers were offered that the dividend on the common which has been declared and which is payable in September would be the last at the 4 per cent rate, and offers are said to have been made to sell next year's dividend on the stock for 2 per cent. These are well-recognized tactics of a bear campaign. They constitute almost the only stock-in-trade of the bears on Sugar a few years ago. The "argument" is that the stock is practically selling on a non-dividend paying basis, and because the return at current prices is over 16 per cent per annum, the directors would be warranted in discontinuing or at least reducing dividends on the common stock. The logic of such argument is not clear. The declaration of dividends is based, not upon the market price of a stock, but upon earnings, and it would be difficult to find warrant for the reduction or passage of the dividend on any part of the capital of the corporation which during the first six months of 1903 reported a surplus of more than $17,000,000, or at the rate of more than $34,000,000 a year over all interest charges, sinking fund, depreciation and dividends on both common and preferred shares. Under these circumstances, to pass or reduce dividends even on the common stock would be an admission which no board of directors would be willing to make. To an outside and entirely disinterested observer it would appear all the more unwarranted to change the rate of dividend on the common stock in view of the fact that the stockholders assented to a plan whereby the future monetary needs of the corporation for uses which should be properly charged against capital account have been provided for, and there is not, in the case of this particular corporation at this time, need to diverting surplus earnings into the property. The matter is adverted to here merely because the private and public wires were yesterday burdened with absurd opinions and conjectures as to the bearing of market values upon the action of directors at a more or less remote period in the future. It is not to be denied that history furnishes examples of the action of corporation directors being influenced by stock market conditions; but the general public is not yet ready to apply this dictum of Wall street bears to the Steel Corporation.

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Pittsburgh Coal led the dealings on the local stock board yesterday. Both classes of stocks were strong and higher, the common advancing to 27¼ and closing at 27 bid, and the preferred advancing to 85, closing at 84½ asked. The movement in stock was based upon the statement of earnings for May and for the five months of the calendar year, showing an enormous increase in net. River Coal common recovered to 10½, but the preferred declined a fraction to 38¼, after selling at 38¾. The steel stocks were less active, but generally firm. Crucible common rallied a dollar a share to 12, and the preferred closed a fraction higher at 74½. U. S. Steel common rallied from 22 to 24, but later reacted to 23⅝. The preferred advanced to 72¼ and closed at 71⅝. The movement in these stocks was influenced by the fluctuations in Wall street. Westinghouse Electric recovered a dollar a share to 87½ and closed at that price bid. National Fire Proofing common was a fraction higher, but the preferred was heavy, declining to 53½. Pittsburgh Brewing declined to 31⅜. The natural gas stocks were dull and heavy. Merchants Savings & Trust was the most active member of its group, and after selling down to 62 recovered to 64. North American Savings broke to 142 and recovered to 145 on light transactions. Guarantee Title & Trust declined four points to 280. The rest of the list was dull and nominally unchanged. There were no transactions in bonds.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange aggregated 8,398 shares stock and 10 receipts. Sales:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

200	Fire Proof	22	
10	do	22	
50	do	22⅛	
10	do	22¼	
25	Mer. S. & T.	63	
10	do	63	
40	do	62½	
10	do	62	
40	do	62	
10	U. S. Steel	22	
5	do	22	
10	do	22	
25	do	23	
25	do	22⅞	
15	do	22⅞	
50	do	22¾	
45	do	22⅝	
40	do	22⅝	
25	do	23	
10	do	23¼	
15	do	23⅛	
10	Crucible pfd.	74½	
5	Crucible pfd.	74½	
15	do	74½	
10	do	74½	
20	do	74½	
10	do	74½	
10	do	74½	
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10	do	74½	
100	U. S. Steel	24	
60	do	24	
25	do	23¾	
40	do	24	
10	do	24	
100	U. S. Stl pf.	72½	
10	do	72½	
5	Crucible pfd.	73	

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

20	Phila. Co.	40	
100	do	40	
75	do	40	
20	do	39½	
5	River Coal pf.	38¾	
2	do	38¾	
10	do	38¾	
850	Pgh. Coal pfd	85	
26	do	85	
180	do	85	
29	do	86	
10	do	85	
200	do	84½	
7	do	84½	
10	Nor. A. Sav.	142	
2	do	145	
50	Mfrs. L. & H.	35½	
50	do	35⅝	
6	Cucible	12	
100	do	12	
10	Iron C. Tr.	144	
20	do	144	
10	do	144	
10	do	144	
100	U. S. Steel	23¾	
100	do	23⅞	
100	do	23⅝	
5	do	23½	
50	do	23⅞	
50	do	23⅞	
50	do	23⅝	
50	do	23⅝	
1	do	72	
25	do	72¾	
5	do	72½	

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

10	Crucible	12	
90	do	11⅞	
10	do	12	
100	do	11⅞	
10	do	11⅞	
10	do	11⅞	
100	U. S. Steel	24	
60	do	24	
25	do	23⅞	
40	do	24	
10	do	24	
100	U. S. Stl pf.	72½	
10	do	72½	
5	Crucible pfd.	73	
40	U. S. Steel	23⅝	
100	do	23⅜	
100	do	23⅝	
100	do	23⅜	
25	do	23⅜	
25	do	23⅜	
100	do	23⅝	
10	Guar. T. & T.	280	
14	Nor. A. Sav.	142	
10	do	145	
10	Mfrs. L. & H.	35¾	
10	Phila. Co.	40	
80	Pgh. Coal	27½	
25	do	22⅞	
10	do	22¾	
40	do	22⅝	
25	do	23	
10	do	23¼	
15	do	23⅛	
10	Crucible pfd.	74½	

2:00 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

25	Crucible	11⅞	
100	do	11⅞	
10	Electric 2ds.	87½	
25	do	87½	
100	Brewing	31⅞	
50	U. S. Stl pfd.	72¼	
10	do	72	
10	do	72	
10	River C. pfd.	38¾	
25	do	38¾	
85	do	38¾	
50	Crucible pfd.	74⅜	
25	do	74½	
30	Luster	10	
50	Stove & R. pf.	16½	
10	Mer. T. & T.	64	

Summary.

Shares.		High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'g'e.
120	Brewing	31⅝	31⅜	31⅜	—⅛
806	Crucible Steel	12	11	11¾	+¾
765	Do preferred	*75	74	74½	+½
510	Fire Proofing	23¾	22¾	22¾	+¼
102	Do preferred	*84	83½	*84	
80	Luster Mining	10	10	10	
133	Mer. L. & H.	35¾	35½	35⅝	
153	Guar. Trust Cos.	280	*280½	*280½	—½
255	Philadel. Co.	40	39¾	40	
1275	Pittsburgh Coal	27¼	26½	27	+¼
1301	Do preferred	85	84	84½	+½
60	River Proofing	10½	10¼	10¼	
117	Do preferred	38¾	38¼	38¼	
50	S. & R. pfd.	16½	16½	16½	—½
1506	U. S. Steel	24	23	23⅞	+⅝
715	Do preferred	72½	71¼	71⅝	+¼
426	W. Elec. 2ds.	87½	86½	87½	+1
10	Ally. N. Bk.	150	150	150	
20	Federal N. B.	160	160	160	
30	G. A. S. & T.	180			
100	Ohio Fuel	39⅝			
25	do	39⅝			
100	Pgh. Coal	28			
200	Pgh. Coal	28			
100	do	28⅝			
100	do	28⅝			
10	do	28⅝			
10	Fire Proof. pf.	83½			
40	do	83⅜			
15	do	83⅜			
40	do	83⅜			
20	Fed. N. B.	160			
5	Crucible pfd.	74			
10	do	74			
10	do	74			
10	do	74			
40	do	74			
10	do	74			
75	do	74			
40	do	74			
20	do	74			
10	do	74¼			
10	do	74⅜			
50	do	74⅜			
10	Electric 2ds.	84½			
10	do	84½			
50	do	86½			
75	do	86¼			
50	do	87			
50	do	87¼			
50	do	87½			

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

Bank exchanges were $10,228,973, an increase of $2,140,000.

Pittsburgh Coal stocks advanced on a good statement of earnings.

Pressed Steel Car reported surplus earnings of $602,000 for the June quarter.

Crucible and United States Steel advanced, but closed below the last.

Westinghouse Electric closed at 97½, a net gain of a dollar.

North American Savings broke to 142 and rallied to 145.

Guarantee Title and Trust declined 4 points to 200.

IN WALL STREET.

Total sales 729,100 shares and $2,175,000 (par value) bonds.

United States Steel common touched 23½, 112,866 shares being sold during the day.

Reading was the leader in railways, 57,530 shares being traded in.

Pennsylvania touched 132⅜, but closed at 131½.

Sugar closed at 114½.

Tennessee Coal and Iron closed at 61, ½ point lower than Tuesday's close.

Shares.		High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'g's
40	G. A. S. & T.	161	160	161	0
10	Guar. T. & T.	300	300	300	—4
70	Iron City Trust	144	144	144	0
185	Mer. S. & T.	64	62	64	+2
41	North Am. Tr.	145	142	145	—3

$298 RECEIPTS.

10	Fidelity T. &				
	$280	360	360	360	0

*Less than 10 shares.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Banks.			
Allegheny National	50	130	
Exchange National	50	88	90
Federal National	100	161	163
First National	100	....	610
Monongahela National	100	....	206
Third National	100	....	172
T. R. Hartman	100	....	153
Pittsburgh Trust Cos.			
American Trust	100	....	360
Equitable Trust	100	....	185
Fidelity Title & Trust	100	....	500
Guarantee Title & Trust	100	....	225
Real Estate Trust	100	280	282
Commonwealth Trust	100	....	240
Allegheny Banks	100	145	....
Allegheny Trust	100	145	....
Dollar Sav. Fund & Trust	100	330	341
Second National	100	375	390
Insurance Stocks.			
Armenia	100	80	100
Natural Gas Stocks.			
Mfrs. Light & Heat	50	35½	35¾
Ohio Fuel Supply	....	39½	40
Mining Stocks.			
Luster	10	....	10
Electric Light Stocks.			
Westinghouse, preferred	50	87½	....
Miscellaneous Stocks.			
Crucible Steel	100	11⅞	....
Do preferred	100	74¼	74½
Marsden	100	....	72
National Fire Proofing	50	22	22½
Do preferred	50	53	53½
Philadelphia Co.	50	40	40½
Westinghouse Air Brake	50	....	155
Harbison-Walker Ref.	100	....	104½

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Consolidated Ice pref.	50	....	38
Monongahela River Coal	50	38¼	38⅝
Do preferred	50	84¼	86½
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	31⅛	31½
Do preferred	50	27	47
Pittsburgh Coal	100	27	....
Do preferred	100	84	84⅝
Pittsburgh S. & R. pfd.	50	16½	....
U. S. Steel pfd.	100	72½	....

Getting Ready for the Turn.

Professional traders are getting very bearish on the steel stocks—in fact, almost bearish enough to suggest that a turn in the long downward movement is near at hand. The head of a large local brokerage house said yesterday:

"Two years ago our house was carrying for customers between 50,000 and 60,000 shares of United States Steel stocks. The trade was very bullish on the stock and could only see one side of the market. At that time I was hooted for making a prediction that the day would come when Steel common and common selling at 25 and the preferred at 75, which would represent a capitalization of just half the total par value. Today we are carrying for our own account a line of 4,000 shares combined. Some of the very traders who were bullish on the stock two years ago are now bearish enough to actually sell the common stock this week. I tell them that I think they are making a mistake, and I have made a little wager that if we live the ordinary expectation of life we will see the common stock sell at 60. I base this prediction more upon the speculative possibilities than upon earnings or the future of the iron business. Professional traders all over the country have completely switched over on the market, and they are just as bearish now as they were formerly bullish. Steel has an enormous capitalization, and it would be a difficult matter to engineer a "squeeze," but with everybody getting short of the stock, and with the possibility that the corporation may exercise its power to buy in its shares in the open market, I can appreciate the speculative possibilities in the situation. I have seen as improbable things happen, and my prediction of 60 does not sound any more absurd today than my prediction of 25 more than two years ago."

Pittsburgh Coal Earnings.

The recent buying of Pittsburgh Coal common was probably based upon knowledge of the earnings, a report of which was obtained yesterday. It shows that the net for the five months of the year reached $2,579,601, an increase of nearly 112 per cent compared with the corresponding period last year. The production of the Pittsburgh district for the five months of 1903 was 5,596,350 tons, an increase of 11 per cent. The splendid showing as to net earnings is due to the fact that comparison is made with a period last year when old contracts were being worked out at low prices. The net earnings for May were at the rate of $7,580,000 for the year, and the net for the five months is at the rate of about $6,200,000. Last year's business was reduced by the railroad freight blockade and the shortage of cars. Improvement in this respect may reasonably be looked for this year. The comparative figures of net earnings are as follows:

	1903.	1902.
May	$ 613,738	$ 379,719
Five months	2,579,601	1,170,135

Traders Bearish on Steel Stocks.

A Pittsburgh business man, who is a director in one of the prosperous suburban banks, said: "Within the past month the deposits of our bank has increased $100,000, and now aggregate the largest in the history of the institution. I have investigated the matter and I find that the increase comes mainly from well-to-do people, and probably represents surplus income in the shape of July interest and dividend money. Ordinarily this money is re-invested. This year the condition of the market was such as to discourage purchases, and of course, those who deferred re-investing until now, can buy on better terms. If the depositors in our little bank may be taken as a criterion, a great many persons are waiting with money subject to check ready to buy stocks just as soon as they feel that the turn has come. Of course, the turn will have come and made some progress in the upward direction before this class of investors will buy. An upward movement that can be sustained for three or four days without serious reaction will start investment buying."

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The announcement of the terms in the Colonial Trust deal was followed by a good deal of figuring by traders in the effort to arrive at the market value of the three stocks that will figure in the exchange of securities. Colonial Trust will be exchanged share for share in the new company. American Trust will receive 20-25ths of a share of Colonial for each share of American, and Farmers Deposit National bank will receive 3½ shares Colonial for each share of Farmers. Yesterday's quotation on Colonial was 330 bid, and that was the price of the stock at the last sale. Taking this as a basis, it would represent about 478 for American Trust and 1,825 for Farmers. The last sale of American was at 400 and the last sale of Farmers at 1,600. It is the opinion of traders that this wide disparity in market values must be adjusted sooner or later, and there is a great deal of curiosity as to how it will be accomplished.

The Philadelphia Company has declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent on the preferred stock, payable September 1 to stock of record August 10.

Pittsburgh Oil & Gas was quoted at 70 bid.

A cablegram received from Humphries Miller yesterday stated that the party of Pittsburgh brokers who sailed for Europe on the 11th inst. had arrived at London yesterday morning.

Ewalt Street Bridge Company has declared a dividend of $2 a share, payable on demand.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Pressed Steel Car Company yesterday the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on the preferred and 1 per cent on the common was declared. Also the third quarterly instalment of ¼ of 1 per cent of the extra dividend of 1 per cent on the common. The preferred dividend will be paid August 15 to stockholders of record at the close of business July 29, when the books close. The common dividend and extra dividend on the common will be paid August 26 to stockholders of record August 5. The books close on the latter date.

The following is the company's statement of net earnings, fixed charges and surplus for the quarter ending June 30, 1903:

Net earnings after all expenses of operation, cost of ordinary repairs and all renewals of plant and machinery have been charged out	$948,872 61
Less charges as follows:	
Three months interest, to date, on bonded debt	$ 47,102 63
Reserve, to cover preferred stock dividend for 2 months to date	218,750 00
Reserve, for depreciation of works and properties	77,500 00
Total charges	$343,352 63
Surplus earnings for second three months of the year 1903	$602,520 18

The surplus earnings of Pressed Steel Car for the June quarter were $10,721 larger than for the same quarter last year.

The net earnings of Missouri Pacific for May decreased $8,000.

The gross earnings of Chesapeake & Ohio for the first week in July were $301,222, an increase of $82,000.

The gross earnings of Northwest for June increased $706,361.

The Pennsylvania railroad will send out checks today for a part of the loan maturing at this date.

The announcement of the appointment of a receiver for Norcross Bros. building contractors, was made just before the close of the market, and may have had something to do with encouraging the bears to renew their attacks.

Wilkinsburg Real Estate Savings & Trust was quoted at 105 bid. Mortgage Banking was offered at 170.

A Wall street dispatch said: "The leading representative of one of the most powerful interests in the country is authority for the story that New York Central has finally passed to the control of Rockefeller, and that there will be changes in the Pennsylvania management harmonious with the Gould interests. Rockefeller brokers are buyers of stocks on every decline.

Stockholders of the Bell Telephone Company of Philadelphia have authorized an increase of capital from $12,000,000 to $16,000,000.

The National Carbon Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on the preferred stock, payable August 15.

It is said in Wall street that the tape does not by any means record the total transactions in securities; that is, that heavy transfers of securities are being made on private terms. Of course, it is needless to say that securities are passing into strong hands. The question is how far the downward movement will continue before aggressive buying appears. Conditions usually the dominating factor in the regulation of the course of Stock Money necessities are the all-ruling influence. The time will come when the selling of securities will exhaust itself, when the forces enabled to make markets will become aggressive on the upside, when the market will recover in days what it has lost in weeks, when investors will take courage and when traders will espouse the bull side of the account.

Call money rates declined to 1¼ per cent yesterday. Time rates remained firm at 3 per cent.

The construction of a proposed large steel rail mill at Clairton which was contemplated by the Crucible Steel Company before the United States Steel Corporation acquired it, will probably remain in abeyance for a time. The proposed mill was to have been a very large one, intended to put the Clairton Company in condition to compete for part of the steel rail trade, but as the Steel Corporation has its rail making plants in excellent shape, the necessity for a new one at Clairton does not exist. It is now stated that the chief incentive inducing the Steel Corporation to close negotiations for the Clairton Company was the ambitious plans of its management to become a rival of the big corporation. Its iron ore possessions are so valuable that the Steel Corporation considers them alone worth the $6,000,000 cash it paid for a half interest. The present daily output of pig iron from the two furnaces of the Clairton plant amount to nearly 1,000 tons. The output of the steel plant totals daily 900 tons. Through the purchase the Steel Corporation secures an additional supply of steel aggregating 1,000 tons a week, and half the pig iron production not used in the open furnaces. When the Clairton plant is running to its full capacity with all the 12 50-ton open hearth furnaces in operation, the output of steel will be nearly 1,500 tons a day. It is stated semi-officially that the $6,000,000 cash paid by the United States Steel Company, the Oliver Iron & Steel Company and the W. P. Snyder Company for the Clairton Company has been paid directly to the Clairton Company and will be expended in completing improvements.—Philadelphia News Bureau.

COMPLETE RECORD NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings Bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCK.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
29200	Atch., T. & S. F.	64½	65¼	64½	64½
2005	Do preferred	88	89	88	88½
	Amer. Cot. Oil	33¾	34½	33¾	34½
	Do preferred	95	95	95	95
4730	Am. Smelting	113¾	116	113¾	114¾
	Do preferred				
2445	Am. Locomotive	17¼	18¼	17¼	17¾
1170	Do preferred	80	87¼	80	87¼
12900	Am. Car & Fdy.	34½	35¾	34½	35¾
	Do preferred	89	89	89	89
38270	American Can	25¾	26¾	25¾	25¾
700	Anaconda Cop.	47	47½	47	47½
2120	Am. S. & T.	42¾	43½	42¾	42¾
1310	Do preferred	91	91	91	91
	American Ice	24	24	24	24
	Do preferred	82½	82½	82½	82½
21545	B. & O.	107¾	109¾	107¾	109¾
	Do preferred	93½	93½	93½	93½
12965	Brook. Rap. T.	47¾	48¾	47¾	47¾
8450	Can. Pacific	154¾	157¾	154¾	157¾
2200	Ches. & Ohio	47¾	48¾	47¾	48¾
1000	Consol. Gas	185	187	185	185½
1000	C. C. C. & St. L.	76	76	76	76
5275	Ches. & Ohio	24	24½	24	24½
100	Do 4s	87½	87½	87½	87½
2100	Col. Fuel & Iron	44½	46¼	44½	46¼
	Con. Product	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
	Do preferred				
2100	Col. Southern	25¾	26¾	25¾	26¾
2900	Do 1st pfd.	52	53	52	53
900	Do 2d pfd.	22	23	22	23
100	Del., L. & W.				
1810	Del. & Hudson	156	158	156	156½
2800	Den. & R. G.	16¾	17¼	16¾	17¼
17800	Do 1st pfd.	67¾	68¾	67¾	68¾
1350	Do 2d pfd.	36½	37¼	36½	37¼
210	Gen. Electric	165	169½	165	169½
	Illinois Central				
2800	Illinois Central	131	131½	130¾	131½
1000	Iowa Central	23	23¼	23	23¼
100	Do preferred	45	45	45	45
1000	Inter. Paper	13	13½	13	13½
	Do preferred				
	L. & N.	131	131½	130¾	131½
	Do preferred				
6600	L. & N.	100½	102	100½	100½
6000	Manhattan	151¾	153¾	151¾	153¾
1000	Metro. Traction	128	128	128	128
1200	M., K. & T. pfd.	59¼	59¾	59¼	59¾
1020	Metropolitan	116	117¾	116	116½
	Mex. Central	18¾	19¼	18¾	19¼
500	Minneapolis	154¾	155¾	154¾	155¾
	Do preferred				
200	National Biscuit	37	37¼	37	37
	Do preferred	98	98	98	98
900	N. Steel Car	45	46¼	45¼	45¾
210	Do preferred	85	85	84½	84½
59040	Penna. R. R.	121	122¾	120¾	121½
	C., C., C. & St. L.				
	Do preferred				
	Railway Springs	26½	26½	26	26
	Do preferred	80½	80½	80	80
87820	Reading	57	59¼	57	59¼
700	Do 1st pfd.	87	87	86½	86½
100	Do 2d pfd.	67½	67½	67½	67½
28200	Rock Island	25	25¾	25	25¾
600	Do preferred	64	64	64	64
1170	Republic Iron	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾
2300	Do preferred	67	70	67	69½
	St. L. & S. F.				
	Do 1st pref.				
1050	Do 2d pref.	49½	52	49½	50
11500	So. Pacific	45	45¾	44¾	45¾
5	So. Railway	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
1700	Do preferred	71	71	71	71
23450	St. Paul	141¾	142¾	141¾	141½
	St. L. & S. W.				
500	Do preferred	14¾	15	13¾	14¾
400	Do 1st pref.	34	34	34	34
7200	Tenn. C. & I.	62	64	61¾	61¾
2900	Texas & Pac.	24	25¼	23¾	24¾
2350	Tol., St. L. & W.	29½	30	29	29
450	Do preferred	59¼	59½	59½	59½

Shares.		High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'ge.
11363	U. S. Steel	24⅛	23⅝	23⅞	—⅛
48350	Do preferred	72½	71¾	72¼	+¼
27769	Union Pacific	79¾	77¾	78¾	—¼
	Do preferred				
800	U. S. Leather	12	12	12	+¼
9220	U. S. Leather	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	+⅛
400	Do preferred	80	82½	80½	+1
	U. S. Rub. & Ore.	29	31½	29	+1½
	Do preferred	74	78½	74	+2
1200	Wabash	27¾	28¼	27¾	+¼
2900	Do preferred	47¾	48¾	47¾	+¼
267	West. Un. Tel.	94	94½	93½	—½
100	Wheeling & L. E.	16¾	16¾	16¾	+⅛
	Do 1st pfd.				
	Do 2d pfd.	30	30	30	
1125	Wisconsin Cent'l	18¾	17¾	18¾	+1
850	Do preferred	38	38¾	37¾	+¾

INACTIVE STOCKS.

100	Am. Glue & Ltd.	4	4
200	Am. Steel pfd.	88	88
300	Am. Tobacco	90	90
400	Do preferred	120	120
600	Cal. Tex. Trac.	11½	11½
600	Do preferred	20½	20½
500	D. & R. G.	15	15
500	Do preferred	79½	79½
100	Del. Chem.	65	65
100	Del. South.	65	65
100	Do preferred	90	90
200	Duluth S. S. & A.	5	5
900	E. & T. H.	36½	36½
100	Do preferred	90	90
150	Inter. Pump	33½	33½
	Do preferred	63½	63½
400	K. C. & S.	27	27½
1000	K. C., Pt. Scott & Mem. pfd.	63½	63½
200	Kan. City Sou.	23½	23½
900	Ft. W. & D. C.	39	39
600	N. Y. Airbrake	157	157
500	Pac. Coast Co.	40	40
100	Do 2nd pfd.	65	65
200	Pere Marquette	70	70
1500	Rubber Goods	21½	21½
200	St. Joe & G. I.	10	10
200	Stand. R. & T.	30	30
300	Sloss	47	47
400	Twin City	96½	96½
700	Vir. Car.—Chem	47½	47

Total sales shares 728,400

CLOSING BOND PRICES.

U. S. reg. 2s, reg.	106½	Mex. Cent. 1st inc.	36
Do coupon	106¾	M. & St. L. 4s	95½
U. S. reg. 3s	107	M. K. & T. 4s	96
Do coupon	108	Do 2ds	78
U. S. new 4s, reg.	134	N. Y. Cent. g. 3½s	103
Do coupon	135	N. Y. Cent. g. 4s	107
U. S. old 4s, reg.	115½	Nor. Pacific 4s	107
Do coupon	111	Do 3s	71½
U. S. 5s, reg.	101½	N. & W. con. 4s	96
Do coupon	102	Reading gen. 4s	93½
Atchison gen. 4s	102½	St. L. & I. M. 5s	110
Do adj. 4s	87	St. L. & S. F. 4s	95½
Balt. & Ohio 4s	105¾	St. L. & W. 1sts	91
Do 3½s	97½	Do 2ds	74
Do conv. 4s	109	San F. & A. P. 4s	114
Can. Pacific 4s	104	Seaboard A. L. 4s	83¾
Cent. of Ga. 5s	103½	Do adj. 5s	87
Do 1st inc.	71	Tex. & Pac. 5s	124
Ches. & O. 4½s	100½	Tol. St. L. & W. 4s	76
Chi. & Alton 3½s	87	Union Pac. 4s	107½
C. B. & Q. 4s	103	Do conv. 4s	107½
C. M. & St. P. s. 4s	107½	Wabash 1sts	116
C. & N. W. s. f. 5s	130½	Do 2ds	108
C. R. I

BESSEMER PIG MARKET QUIET

Several Good-Sized Sales of Foundry Iron at Practically Unchanged Prices.

FINISHED MATERIAL IS STEADY

More Steel Rail Orders Have Been Placed—Cut Figures for Galvanized Sheets Denied by Producers—Railroad Congestion Feared.

There is practically no buying of Bessemer pig iron being done at present, and nominal quotations are therefore the same as those named last week, $18 to $19, Valley furnace, with no actual sales of any size to fix values. Small lots of less than 100 tons are occasionally purchased, but of these there is not much notice taken when determining values. Rumors have been afloat of offerings in Pittsburgh by some producers in Ohio at figures below prices at which Bessemer is held by Mahoning valley blast furnaces, but these reports lack confirmation. As a matter of fact, they have created little comment, the market being so quiet just now that sellers are undisturbed by rumors of cut figures.

It is claimed that foundry iron is showing a little more life, and several sales of over 1,000 tons each are reported for the week, with others hanging fire, which are likely to be closed this week. While prices are hard to determine, it is understood that the average of sales rules at about the same range as quoted a week ago. One sale of No. 2 foundry iron amounting to 200 tons was made this week on a basis of $18 85, Pittsburgh delivery, notwithstanding the fact that it is said some sellers are cutting No. 2 down to $17 75 for the same delivery.

The close working together of producers of billets and sheet bars has kept the market from undergoing any fluctuations, and for what business is being transacted figures rule the same as for last week.

Finished material has undergone no change in quotations since last reported, and the movement is moderate. There is a fairly good current demand for plates, shapes and merchant bars, which amounts to about the same in the manner of tonnage as that of last week. More steel rail orders have been placed, but figures are the exact amount have not been given out. It is probable that the aggregate of business in this line for delivery next year is now close to 700,000 tons. Bar iron prices in the east are still unsettled, and this condition already has commenced to affect the situation here, although not to the extent of causing producers to make any change in quoted figures.

Sheet Concessions Denied.

The reports which have been heard for several days that there is weakness in galvanized sheets and corrugated roofing is denied by sellers, who declare they have made no concessions, nor are they in position to do so. One large buyer says he asked for quotations from the American Sheet Steel Company and independent mills both within a day or two, with the intention of placing considerable business, but could get no figures likely heretofore. Tin plate continues active, and independent mills claim to have no difficulty in obtaining $4 and even better for prompt delivery.

The pipe and tube market is very strong, mills having their product sold up to the end of the year for large sizes, and having labor booked ahead for the smaller sizes. Prices are firm all through the list, with satisfactory conditions prevailing.

A number of purchases have gone out of blast for repairs, having run so steadily and so hard during the busy season that a shutdown is now necessary for refining. For this reason there is no little anxiety felt over the end of the strike among fire brick workers in order that the repair work at furnaces may not be delayed.

Several coke producers have withdrawn from the market, fearing a congestion in transportation later which will not allow them to fill contracts up to the limit of producing capacity, and preferring to allow some leeway rather than taking chances of having to default in delivery of coke on contracts. They say they already can notice indications of congestion, and do not believe the railroads will be in shape to handle the tonnage offered when active shipping commences later in the year.

Hardware Business Good.

Conditions in the hardware market have lost none of the favorable aspect reported a week ago, the amount of business coming in both through salesmen and by mail being unprecedented, the trade evidently demanding more goods than ever, the demand extending to wider lines and for greater quantities than even at some times during the spring. Wire nails and wire continue to move out in very large volume, the demand being evidently based on uses and not on the putting in of speculative stocks. Builders' hardware for the same reason continues active, the quality of hardware wanted for use in buildings constantly improving, showing the better class of buildings being erected, and the desire of builders to have better hardware for the houses they build. Alton labor continues to come into the hands of consumers and dealers in increased volume. Bicycles and sundries show no sign of abatement in demand, business in this line being, if anything, larger than it has been, this being due doubtless to the amount of repairing that necessarily comes with the greater use of wheels. Mixed paints, colors and varnishes continue to move out in good volume, this season being favorable to their use. Window glass continues about as it was last week, there being little change unless it might be that orders are a trifle heavier. As has been stated before, stocks are diminishing, with sizes naturally getting scarcer, and that it is the part of wisdom for dealers who are liable to want goods later on to put their stocks in good shape now. Prices in all lines continue firm, manufacturers reporting a large business being placed for fall use.

Revised Quotations.

Foundry iron—Per ton, $18 85@19 35, Pittsburgh.

Grey forge—Per ton, $17 50@18 50, Pittsburgh.

Lake Superior charcoal iron—Per ton, $25 00@26 00, Pittsburgh.

Billets—Open hearth steel, $28 50@28 50 per ton; Bessemer, $28 00@29 00, Pittsburgh delivery.

Ferro manganese—Per ton, $52.

Bessemer rods—Per ton, $32.

Muck bar—Per 100 pounds, $1 90@32 00.

Skelp—Iron, per 100 pounds, $1 90@2 00; steel, per 100 pounds, $1 95@2 00.

Steel rails—Standard sections, $28 a ton for 500-ton and larger lots; $29 a ton and $32 for less than car lots; $36 a ton for car and larger lots of sections 20, 25, 30, 35, 40 and 45 pounds to the yard; $31 for 16-pound, $41 for 12-pound and $50 for 8-pound.

Structural shapes—Beams and channels, 3 to 15-inch, $1 60 per 100 pounds; beams, 16 to 20-inch, $1 75 for 100 pounds; angles, 3 to 6-inch, $1 60 per 100 pounds.

Steel plates—Tank plates, $1 60 the 100 pounds; flange and firebox, $1 70; ordinary firebox, $1 80.

Crucible and merchant steel—Tire steel, $2 15 to $2 25 per 100 pounds; spring steel, $2 25 to $2 35; toe calk, $2 30@2 40. On less than 2,000 tons of a size and not less than 1,000, these prices are subject to an additional 10 cents and the price for less than 1,000 and not less than 1,000 tons, 30 cents. Cold-rolled shafting quotations continue at 40 cents off the list in car and larger lots and 42 per cent on less than car lots.

Tin plate—In 500-box and larger lots to recognized jobbers, $3 80 at the mill. Prompt delivery price, $4. To this is added a minimum weight charge of 10 cents a hundred for Pittsburgh delivery.

Black and galvanized sheets—Prices range from $2 75 the 100 pounds on the No. 28 gauge, black sheets, bought in 500-bundle and larger lots to recognized jobbers, while the galvanized product ranges from $3 55 on the No. 28 gauge, 10 per cent, car loads; 900, 20 and 2½ per cent, car loads; sheet iron, base, No. 28, $3 10 per 100 pounds; galvanized sheet iron, discount 70 per cent.

LABOR TROUBLES ARE NEARING SETTLEMENT

Consumption of Iron and Steel Products No Longer Hampered on That Account.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 22.—The Iron Age will tomorrow say:

According to the latest advices it is likely that the differences between the coal miners in the Birmingham district and the furnace companies will be settled by arbitration, work to be resumed while the matter is pending.

Generally speaking, peace is beginning to reign once more in labor circles and consumption will not be hampered on that account. The burning question has now become to what extent the decline in securities will check new undertakings and thus adversely affect the demand. In the iron trade proper the waiting attitude of buyers is being persisted in and is having its effect upon prices. There have been repeated rumors that large consuming interests had begun to buy foundry iron for the second half, but investigation has shown them to be without foundation. What business is being done is confined to the covering of requirements for 30 days, which in the case of some melters means pretty large blocks. But the real movement has not yet materialized. There have been some pretty large sales of steel billets during the past two weeks, in some cases at low prices.

It is generally acknowledged that the revived billet pool is likely to have a steadying effect on the steel market, yet it must not be forgotten that after all that market is very much restricted when compared with what it was in olden days. Only a small part of the steel tonnage reaches the open market. Many of the outside finishing mills, large and small, have their own steel works, which supply a considerable part of their requirements and sometimes furnish a slight surplus. The many important finishing mills have long-time sliding scale contracts, which are not affected by recent happenings. Still, the welfare of many small works will largely depend upon the course which the associated steel makers, nearly all sellers of billets products of one kind or another, will pursue. Foreign steel, which was the main reliance of many of the smaller rolling mills on the seaboard and well into the interior, can not be had under special circumstances, although the new official tidewater prices seem to offer an opportunity.

The outside Bessemer plants meet a Bessemer pig market which is essentially strong. The outside basic open hearth plants are in a better position as to the basic pig market, where more ample supplies are available, notably from the south.

The associated rail mills have thus far officially reported sales for 1904 aggregating 450,000 tons, which is not quite up to the figures which detailed reports of transactions would lead one to expect.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

CHICAGO, July 22.—Butter easy; creameries, 17½@19½c; dairies, 15½@18c. Eggs, at mark, cases included, 11@13c. Cheese firm, 10@11c.

PHILADELPHIA, July 22.—Butter firmer; extra western creamery, 20½c; do nearby prints, 20c. Eggs firm, good demand; fresh nearby, 18½c, cases included; do western, loss off; do southwestern, 16@17c, loss off; do southern, 15@16c, loss off. Cheese steady, fair demand; New York full creams, choice, new, 10¼@10½c; New York full creams, choice, fair to good, new, 9¼@10c.

Turpentine and Rosin.

SAVANNAH, GA., July 22.—Turpentine firm, 49¼c. Rosin firm. Quote: A, B, C, D, $1 65; E, $1 65@1 70; F, $1 70@1 75; G, $1 85; H, $2 50; I, $2 75; K, $2 90; M, $3 00; N, $3 10; WG, $3 25; WW, $3 45.

CHARLESTON, S. C., July 22.—Turpentine steady, 48½c. Rosin steady.

WILMINGTON, N. C., July 22.—Spirits turpentine nothing doing. Rosin dull, $1 50@1 55. Crude turpentine firm, $1 75, $3 25 and $3 75. Tar firm, $1 65.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, July 22.—Spot cotton closed dull; 50 points advance. middling uplands, 13.28, middling gulf, 13.50, sales, 31 bales. Cotton futures closed dull; July, $10 20; August, $12 44; September, $10 90; October, $9 84; November, $9 76; December, $9 73; January, $9 70; February, $9 28; March, $9 68.

Banks and Treasury.

NEW YORK, July 22.—(Special.)—Total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $2,904,000. Payment by banks to government, $3,705,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $199,000, paid by government to banks.

FRUIT AND PRODUCE MARKET WAS QUIET

Green Corn Arrives Slowly—Wet Weather Hurts Blackberries. Butter Sales Dull.

Yesterday was a quiet day in the fruit and produce market, not a great deal of stuff coming in, and demand was reduced to a minimum. Quotations changed in only a few particulars, most of the lines being without change except to establish new values. New green corn arrives slowly, and what has come so far is of indifferent quality, selling at a range of 25 to 35 cents a dozen, with some going at even lower figures. Potatoes are easy at quotations and there are plenty of tomatoes arriving, so that the market is virtually held in position by an equality of supply and demand, for consumers are taking advantage of the opportunity to indulge themselves with tomatoes which are unusually plentiful this season. Currants are not coming forward with any freedom and are nearly done. A few raspberries still find their way here, but the quality is such as to show their race is nearly run for this year. Blackberries have been affected by the wet weather and do not arrive in as good condition as earlier in the season, while prices have gone off. Huckleberries are in good demand and are higher. Cantaloupes continue to arrive in liberal quantities and rule about the same in price. Peaches are not abundant as yet, and consignments of Delawares which have reached here so far are not up to the average for quality. Indications are that there will not be so many peaches from that state as usual. Watermelons are in good supply, and prices are the same as those last reported. Tropical fruits are unchanged.

Hay held its own yesterday, and there was no change in local grain quotations. Oats were somewhat firmer in the west, but no difference was made in Pittsburgh prices.

The butter market is easy and has gone much lower in New York. Dealers are expecting to see reduced prices next week if present conditions continue. Cheese is steady, but has not changed in price. Eggs are weak, but prices are nominally the same as those of the opening of the week.

Poultry continues as quoted yesterday, with supply still limited, and showing no increase.

Flour is steady at prices last quoted, with concessions given for good orders. Sugar is unchanged. Coffee is holding its own at figures which have ruled for several weeks, and no further indications of the advance predicted by some dealers a few days ago. Beans are unchanged. Canned goods are without special feature, and dried fruits are held at unchanged quotations.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 25 cars hay, 1 car straw, 1 car hay and straw, 8 cars oats, 2 cars corn, 3 cars feed; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 2 cars hay, 1 car corn, 2 cars oats; Pittsburgh & Western railroad, 2 car hay, 1 car oats. Total receipts, 47 cars.

Hay, No. 1 tim-othy...$18.50@19.00
do No. 2 ...$17.50@18.00
do No. 1 clov..$12.00@13.00
do mix..$14.50@15.50
Loose from wagon..$18.00@19.00
Straw, oat..$8.50@9.50
do wheat..$8.50@9.50
do rye...$11.00@11.50
Oats, in car-lots, white 2...42½@42c
do No. 3...41½@42c
do No. 4...40½@41c
Rye, No. 2 ...
Meal...58@58½c
White middlings, No. 2, ton...$19.50@20.00
Bran, ton...17.50@18.00
Wheat, No. 2 red...70@71c
Corn. No. 2 yel. shell...58@60c
High mix ...56@57c
No. 2 yel. ear...58@60c
High mix ...56@57c

GROCERIES.

Flour.
Fancy spg. p.$4.75@4.80
Fancy win. pat..$3.85
Straight win.$3.60@3.65
Bakers spr..$3.40@3.60
Rye ...$3.45@3.60
Graham ...$4.00@4.50
Buckwheat ...$3.25
do 10-lb cotton bags.....18@18c
Rolled oats, bbl..$5.80
do bags ...2.60
Roasted Coffee.
Rio ...9½@12c
Santos .....12½@24½c
Maracaibo ....17@17½c
Fancy ....17@18c
Golden Rio ...13½@14c
Caracas ....13@13½c
Standard, prgs....8.85c
Rio, R. & S.14.30@16.30c
Molasses, fancy refined.....28@37c
do choice.....32@35c
do open rct..40@43c
Syrup.
Sugar, 5-lb cotton bags.....5.25c
do powdered....5.20c
do pow'd, xxxx....5.60c
do cubes 5.80c
do cut loaf.....5.60c
do coff. A...4.90@5.00c
do No. 1 yellow.4.70c
do No. 2 yellow.4.70c
do No. 3 yellow.4.65c
Beans.
Marrow, bu...$3.00@2.10
Navy, H. P..$2.45@2.50
Navy, imp...$2.35@2.40
Red kidney..$3.40@3.50
Cal. lima, lb...5¼@5½c
Pea, picked, bu...$1.70@1.75
do split, lb.....4c
Off. carbon, 110 deg 11c
do headlight.....11½c
do water white...12c
do Ohio W. W. test 150 deg.....12c
do mineras.....26@32c
Canned Goods.
Peaches, std. nlo..$1.10
do pie, gal..$2.50@3.00
do California.....
L. Cl.....$1.90@2.35
do Mary-land...$1.15@1.65
do California.....
std. ...$1.10@1.15
Cherries, red, white...$2.20@2.25
Lima beans..$1.25@1.40
do soaked.....75@80c
String beans, 2-lb. sifted.....85c
do 3-lb 55c
Stringless beans ...$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrow-fat.....55c@$1.05
do early June...$1.60@1.30
do sifted....55@65c
Apples, N. Y., gal cans..$2.20@2.25
Pineapples ...$1.60@2.20
Plums, damson ...$1.00
do California ...$1.60
Raspberries ...85@95c
Gooseberries ...85@$1.00
Tomatoes, standard ...90@$1c
do fancy...$1.20@1.30
do gal....$3.50@3.60
Succotash, 1-lb cans.....65c@$1.40
Baked beans.....85c
do tomato sc..90c@$1.40
Salmon, doz. ...85c@$2.05
Chipped beef..$2.25@2.75
Corned beef, 2-lb ...$2.40
do 1-lb cans .....$1.30@1.35
Mackerel, broiled...$1.80@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ½s.....3@3.60
do mustards, ¼s..$2.75
do French..$8.00@15.75
Dried Fruits.
Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown 10-lb boxes....7@8c
do Ondara.....
do Val.....9¼@10c
do Cal. Val.....7½c
Currants, cleaned, pkgs .....6¼@7c
Prunes .....3½@10¼c
Seeds.
Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu small..$5.00@8.10
do mammoth....$8.10@8.20
do crimson.....$4.75@5.00
do white.....
Dutch..$10.00@20.00
Alsike .....$8.75@9.00
Alfalfa .....$5.50@9.00
Millet .....$1.20@1.80
Grass, Hungarian.....
do Siberian.....90c@$1.10
do lawn, lb...18@20c
do blue, 14-lb bu.....$1.50@1.75
do white top, 14-lb bu..$1.10@2.00
Timothy ....$1.85@1.95
Salt Fish.
Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl..$30.00
do half bbls....$15.50
do quar. bbl....$8.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbls...$28.00
do half bbls....$13.50
do 10-lb pails..$2.75
do 20-lb pails..$2.75
do 10-lb pails..$1.45
Mackerel, No. 2, bbls.....$18.00
do half bbls.....$9.50
do quar. bbls.....$5.00
do 20-lb pails...$2.25
do 10-lb pails...$1.15
Lake herring, 100 lbs.....$2.75
do 50-lb quar.....$1.40
do 10 lb 55c
Produce.
Potatoes, Louisville ....$2.00@2.25
do N. J...$2.25@2.50
do new, bbl...$1.00@1.50
Onions, bbl..$1.75@2.00
do nanip's..90c@$1.00
do home, bu.....$1.00
do quar. bu.....10@15c
Cucumbers, hothouse.....50c@60c
do North Carolina, bbls .....$1.50@2.00
do hampers..90c@75c
do home grown, bu.....$1.50@2.00
Cabbage, new, bbl.....$1.25@1.50
Beets, doz 25c
do bbl....$1.50@1.75
Parsley, doz. ...10@15c
Radishes, doz...20c
Spinach, bu..75c@1.00
Celery, Kalamazoo ...15@25c
Kale, bu .....25@30c
Lettuce, home, doz. .....40@50c
Egg plant, doz. .....75c@$1.00
Garlic, lb.....7@10c
Carrots, doz bunches 25c
String beans, bu.....75c
Cauliflower, doz.....$2.00@2.25
Rhubarb, doz. ...20@25c
Watercress, doz..15@20c
Tomatoes, Tenn., 4-basket carrier.....50@65c
do Jersey, bu .....$1.25@1.50
do home, bu .....$2.00@2.50
Brussels sprouts, quart.....12@14c
Mushrooms, lb...30@40c
Peppers, green, crate .....$1.75@2.25
Peas, basket..$1.50@1.75
do home, bu.....$1.50
Squash, crate.....$1.25@1.50
do home, basket..$1.00
Corn, doz.....25@30c

Domestic Fruits.

Apples, fancy, bbl .....$2.50@4.00
do hvy ...$1.50@2.00
Cherries .....10@12c
Peaches, Ga..$2.50@2.75
Canteloupes, crate ...$1.00@1.50
do basket..90c@1.00
Watermelons, each .....15@25c
Blackberries .....6@8c
Huckleberries ...11@12c
Raspberries, blue .....12½@13c
do red .....9@17c
Currants .....12@16c
Gooseberries .....6@8c

Poultry.

Live hens, lb...14@15c
Live spring ....19@17c
Roosters .....6@7c
Turkeys .....10@11c
Geese .....35@50c
Ducks .....11@12c
Dressed hens ...17@18c
Dressed springs.20@22c
Roasters 18c
Broilers, 20 to 25 lbs 11½c
do 16 to 20 lbs..11½c
do under 16 lbs.10½c
Lard, pure, tierces.....8½c
Breakfast bacon, back stripe 12c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears...10½c
do 16 to 20 lbs..10½c
do under 16 lbs.10½c
Dry salt shoulders 9c
Smoked shoulders, N. Y. cut 10c
do skinned ...10½@11c
Breakfast bacon, ribs & loin ...13½c
do 10 to 12 lbs...13c
do back strips...12c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs 14c
do 12 to 13 lbs..13½c
Provisions.
Hams.
16 lbs and up....13½c
Over 16 to 18 lbs.13½c
Over 18 to 20 lbs.14½c
20 lbs and under.14½c
Skinned 15c
Boneless boiled ...20½c
California 9½c
Shoulders, N. Y. cut 10c
do skinned ...10½@11c
Breakfast bacon, rib & loin 13½c
do 10 to 12 lbs...13c
do back strips...12c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs 14c
do 12 to 13 lbs..13½c
Butter, Eggs and Cheese.
Butter.
Prints .....23@23½c
Tubs .....22½@23c
Ohio creamery ...22½c
Dairy .....19@19c
Country roll, ...15@16c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream...11@11½c
do Ohio ...10½@11c
do ¾ crm..10@10½c
Cheese, Ohio Swiss, tubs .....13@14½c
do Wis Swiss, new .....14@14½c
do 20-lb block Swiss, new .....14@14½c
do limburger..@13c
Eggs as to mark..16@15½c
do candled...17@18c
Provisions.
Breakfast bacon, back stripe 12c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears...10½c
do 16 to 20 lbs..10½c
do under 16 lbs.10½c
Dry salt shoulders 9c
Smoked shoulders, N. Y. cut 10c
do skinned ...10½@11c
Breakfast bacon, ribs & loin ...13½c
do 10 to 12 lbs...13c
do back strips...12c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs 14c
do 12 to 13 lbs..13½c
Lard, pure, tierces.....8½c
Poultry.
Live hens, lb...14@15c
Live spring ....19@17c
Roosters .....6@7c
Turkeys .....10@11c
Geese .....35@50c
Ducks .....11@12c
Dressed hens ...17@18c
Dressed springs.20@22c
Roasters 18c
Broilers, 20 to 25 lbs 11½c
do 16 to 20 lbs..11½c
do under 16 lbs.11½c
Lard, pure, tierces.....8½c
Tropical Fruits.
Lemons, Messinas....$4.50@5.00
do Californ-ias.....$4.00@4.50
Bananas, 1sts..$1.50@1.75
do 2ds ...$1.00@1.25
Grape fruit, California.....$3.00@4.00
Pineapples, crate.....$4.00@4.50
Apricots, box $1.25
box .....$1.00@1.25
Plums, California, box.....$1.25@1.75
Pears, California, box .....$3.00@3.25

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, July 22.—The market for coffee futures opened quiet at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points in the absence of demand, but later turned slightly firmer in keeping with steady primary markets, closing steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 5 points. Sales were 9,250 bags, including July at 3.65c; September at 3.75@3.80c; October at 3.85c; November at 3.90c; December at 4.20@4.25c, and May at 4.40c. Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice, 5¼c; mild easy.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 5-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 11-16c; molasses sugar, 2 15-16c; refined firm.

THE OIL MARKET.

Northeast of the Pine Grove extension in Wetzel county, West Virginia, the South Penn Oil Company has given its test on the Thomas J. Showalter farm its first dose of the high explosive fluid. For the first 18 hours after the well was shot it produced 428 barrels, an increase in production of from 10 to nearly 50 barrels an hour.

No. 3 on the W. B. Starkey farm is producing some oil from the stray and is now drilling in the Gordon.

The South Penn Oil Company has drilled its test on the William Edgell farm through the stray and has a light gas pressure.

The same company has drilled No. 48 on the Blackshere-Wetzel farm through the Gordon and has a fair gas flow.

In the Penn Grove extension the South Penn Company has completed and shot its No. 3 on the C. C. Long farm and has a 50 barrel producer.

In the Bens Run district, Pleasants county, Schlagel & Fried have drilled their test on the J. D. Riggs farm into the Maxon sand and have a show for a light pumper.

In the Sand Hill field in Ritchie county, J. T. Miller drilled his No. 13 on the A. R. Morrow farm through the Gordon and found that formation barren. He then plugged the well below the big Injun and gave it a shot and has a 10 barrel pumper.

On Bends creek, south of the Whisky run pool, No. 3 on the Mahaney heirs' farm has dropped back to 250 barrels a day.

On the Wells-Wilson farm on Sheets run, Stewart, Newman & Company have drilled their No. 3 on the Isaac Soles farm into the Ox Run sand and have a producer good for 100 barrels a day.

On Wolf creek, Charles S. Cameron's No. 12 on the Frank Ford farm is producing 200 barrels and A. A. Cameron's No. 6 on the J. J. Swan farm 125 barrels a day.

South of the development near Knoxville, Jefferson county, the Ohio Oil Company has completed its No. 4 on the J. L. Cable farm and has a 20 barrel producer.

The Mutual Oil and Gas Development Company has a 10 barrel pumper at its No. 3 on the Robert Mackey farm.

The Consolidated Oil Company, Inc., has completed its No. 7 on the R. V. Warren farm and has a 15 barrel pumper.

Two miles northeast of Woodsfield in Monroe county, Stewart & Young have drilled their wildcat through the Keener sand and since giving it a shot have a show for a five barrel pumper.

In the Marysville district H. J. Parker has completed his No. 9 on the M. C. Hartshorn farm and has a show for a 15 barrel pumper in the Keener sand.

The Pure Oil Company has drilled its No. 3 on the Amos Kiser farm through the Keener and has a five barrel pumper.

G. W. Decker's No. 4 on the Henry Dillon farm is drilling up at 1,000 barrels a day.

In the Turkeyfoot extension in Somerset county, Pa., Watson & Company have completed a test on the W. Tarr farm and have a duster.

South of Burgettstown, Washington county, R. G. Gillespie has completed No. 5 on the G. S. Pate farm and has a five barrel pumper.

In the same district Kelley Brothers & Cooper have given their test on the Crooks heirs' farm a shot and increased its production from 3 to 20 barrels a day. This test was drilled 2,000 feet one month ago and produced about three barrels a day.

Near Imperial, Allegheny county, John M. Patterson & Company have completed a test on the May Kelso farm and may have a light pumper.

Six miles southwest of Zelienople in Beaver county, the Wolf Farm Oil Company has drilled its No. 3 on the Anna Wolf farm into the 100-foot sand and has a show for a small pumper. It is not thought, however, but is not likely to increase its production.

SHIPMENTS AND RUNS.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
July 21.....	54,855	July 20.....	60,290
Previously	1,365,310	Previously	1,374,612
Totals.....	1,420,208	Total.....	1,434,902
Daily average.	70,535	Daily average..	75,520

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
July 21.....	76,000	July 20.....	72,240
Previously	1,248,850	Previously	1,020,620
Total.....	1,322,700	Total.....	1,092,860
Daily average..	63,033	Daily average..	54,843

The Oil Market.

Following are the standard's credit balances prices for the various fields: Pennsylvania, $1 35; Tiona, $1 68; Corning, $1 35; New Castle, $1 40; North Lima, $1 15; South Lima, $1 11; Indiana, $1 12; White Mount, $1 25; Stoneham, $1 01; Lacy, 97c; Burgoonville, light, 97c; heavy 91c; Raglan, 95c. The Producers and Refiners Oil Company also quote $1 35 for Pennsylvania grade.

OIL CITY, July 22.—Credit balances, $1 53; certificates, no bid. Shipments, 84,840 barrels, average 76,640 barrels; runs, 80,309 barrels, average 73,190 barrels. Shipments Lima, 25,800 barrels, average 25,625 barrels; runs, 25,800 barrels, average 24,815 barrels.

TOLEDO, O., July 22.—Oil—North Lima, $1 16; South Lima and Indiana, $1 11.

WHEAT AND CORN LOWER; OATS CLOSED HIGHER

Chicago Grain Markets Had Firm Opening Yesterday, but Weakened at End.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, July 22.—The effect of yesterday's bullish government report stimulated the speculation in wheat and caused some early strength. September was a shade higher to a shade better, but weakness set in and held up prices by 10 to 12c. In the afternoon, however, the pit traders acted freely and support was lacking. The market was an easier one in prices, which was furthered by the liberal receipts and the loading of long lines by Armour and by selling orders from St. Louis. September went down to 72¾, where commission houses checked the decline and caused the price made to rally 1c. the closing figures being 73½@73¾c, or under yesterday. Trade was active and of good volume. Primary receipts were 497,000 bushels, against 1,000,000 a year ago. Broadstreet's visible showed a decrease of 2,220,000 bushels. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 125 cars, which, with local receipts of 45 cars, left the aggregate made 170 cars, ratal for the three points of 164 cars, against 184 last week and 431 a year ago.

There was a good country and commission buying of corn and the market held firm on reports of uneven crop, and the market showed strength. The break in wheat later brought out liberal offerings and the advance was soon lost. Receipts were not large and small receipts and firm cables helped the market

PITCAIRN ASKS FOR HIS RELEASE

Lunatic Wants Court to Remove Committee Against Whom Charges Are Made.

INJUNCTION WAS REFUSED

Labor Union Wins First Blood in Suit Charging Conspiracy—Gerding Estate Settled — Commissioner in McKee Divorce Suit Files His Report.

Petitions were presented in common pleas court No. 2 yesterday which will reopen the lunacy proceedings against Albert Pitcairn, who is now confined in the Dixmont asylum. Pitcairn formerly was a tailor on Wood street.

On the petition of his wife, Mary Pitcairn, a writ in habeas corpus was ordered and it is directed against the management of Dixmont and Dr. R. V. Pitcairn, committee of the person of Albert Pitcairn, commanding them to have the latter in court on July 29, at 10 a. m., when the matter will be heard.

A second petition made by Albert Pitcairn asks for the removal of Dr. R. V. Pitcairn as committee of the person and estate. The petitioner avers that his custodian filed an inventory and appraisement of the petitioner's estate which is not a full, true and correct appraisement of the estate. Pitcairn avers further that by reason of his confinement he is unable to give the court full information as to the correctness of the appraisement, nor can he, he avers, aid his counsel in pointing out to the court the inaccuracy and insufficiency of the appraisement so long as the papers of the estate remain in the hands of Dr. R. V. Pitcairn.

Want the Committee Removed.

The petition asks for the removal of the present committee and the appointment of "some fit, competent and disinterested person in his stead."

A rule to show cause why he should not be removed was granted on Dr. R. V. Pitcairn and is made returnable on July 29, next.

The wife's petition states that her husband has so far recovered his health, both in mind and body, that his restraint and confinement at Dixmont is unreasonable and unnecessary. She avers that he is competent to take care of himself with the wifely assistance she can give; that she is entitled to his society, and that there is no necessity for a committee of his person.

In the same court a preliminary injunction was refused after a hearing in the court in equity brought by H. M. McMillan and others, composing the East End Roofing Company, against the officers and others of local union No. 12 Amalgamated Sheet and Metal Workers. The plaintiff alleged the defendants combined and conspired to keep persons from accepting employment with the Roofing company, and that "threats, menaces and intimidation were used" in bringing about the alleged effect. The plaintiffs asked that the defendants, John McDermott, president; D. F. Quihlan, secretary; N. S. Glass, business agent, and M. O. Sullivan and A. L. Beam, with members of the union, be enjoined from any interference, which the court refused. The suit was filed July 11, and the plaintiff avers the union had been interefring with their employment of men since September, 1902.

Decision in Gerding Will Case.

In orphans' court, Judge W. G. Hawkins handed down an opinion in the matter of the estate of Henry Gerding, deceased. The questions involved are whether the accountant is entitled to commissions on $600, at which goods were sold him under the will, and to be reimbursed for loss in a legacy by reason of the refusal of the widow to take under the will.

Gerding specified in his will that if his son, H. William Gerding, wished to continue the business at No. 403 Third avenue, Pittsburgh, the stock should be taken at its present value and sold to him, less 25 per cent. The son decided to continue the business and the stock was appraised at $3,599 50. The residue of the estate went to the children of the deceased. The widow refused to take under the will.

Judge Hawkins said that if the widow had accepted under the will the account would have been bound to bring the discount at which he took the stock into the administration and would only have been liable for the price at which, under the will, he bought the stock. The 25 per cent was in the stock and therefore his individual property and not brought into the administration, and he was therefore not entitled to compensation on that amount. He further stated that it was clear that the testator intended to confer a benefit and give a preference to his son to the extent of the 25 per cent discount, and it certainly furnished his liability as administrator, as against those claiming under the will, and the refusal of the widow to take would only be permitted to disturb the testementary order of procedure so far as necessity might require.

Filed Bill Against Railroad.

A bill in equity was filed by Anthony H. Kinney and Adam Lock against the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad to restrain the defendant from appropriating a strip of ground on the Monongahela river opposite Braddock; to compel the defendants to build and maintain a road to it, and to ascertain and award the plaintiffs damages for the alleged failure to carry out an agreement made with Thomas J. Kinney in 1890. In that year the defendant company was granted a right of way of 60 feet through the property and later condemned a strip of 30 feet, on which a verdict of $40,000 damages was awarded, but an agreement was entered into by which the railroad was to pay the damages and allow Kinney the right of a ferry and 200 feet of wharf, rebuild a road he had constructed and keep it in repair. In March last the plaintiffs notified the railroad company that the road must be rebuilt and received notice that it had appropriated the road and the wharf as well.

The commissioner filed his report in the divorce suit of Peter H. McKee against Mary McKee. The libellant, in his testimony, says they were married February 20, 1884, and separated December 16, 1897.

On the latter date he says: "I was not feeling well and returned from my work to my home in Braddock at 10 a. m. I opened the door and found John Lindsay and my wife together. They were both very nervous and excited. Lindsay said he did not want my wife. I told him to leave the house and he did."

He said he then told his wife to leave, which she did, after waiting until 12 o'clock on the 12-year-old child, who was at school and whom the mother took with her. Later, he said, he met his wife at a sister's and charged her with criminal intimacy with Lindsay. She admitted her guilt and added, he says, that she had been criminally intimate with the libellant's brother, Samuel McKee.

The report of the commissioner in the case of Beatrice L. McElhaney against Oliver C. McElhaney has also been filed. They were married in 1896 and desertion in 1898 by the husband is alleged.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

James Clark Thompson, a laborer of Wilkinsburg, filed a petition in bankruptcy. The liabilities are $3,289 85 and assets $100.

The following executions were issued yesterday: George Liebchild vs. Peter Nikel et al., $126; Reidman & Rodman vs. Magdalena Paintsitys, $1,113.

Joseph L. Steinberg sued Simon B. Schultzman for $5,000 damages for failure to carry out an agreement of co-partnership in the business of the defendant.

Suit was entered by Charles Greely against A. O. Wood, a policeman, for $5,000, alleging false arrest, on April 21. Although ordered to forfeit $10 by Magistrate E. C. Negley, the plaintiff says quarter sessions court reversed the decision.

An attachment was issued by the borough of Bellevue against Samuel Baumgardner for $518 23 and named George Ewing, Susan Ewing, Matilda Bryant and the Enterprise National Bank of Allegheny as garnishees. The defendant had a contract to grade Forest avenue, upon which $2,696 23 was advanced, upon specifications which, it is averred, were $518 23 too much.

The Three Rivers

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, July 22.—River 11.6 feet and rising. The local storms and heavy rains of last night caused the tributaries to swell the Ohio. No towboat movements here today.

HUNTINGTON.—River 9 feet, rising. Down, Keystone State, 1 p. m.; H. M. Stanley, 2 p. m.

MARIETTA.—River 9.5 feet, rising. Lorena, up, noon; Greenwood, 4 p. m.; Kanawha down, 8 p. m. Down with coal, Cruiser, 2 p. m.; Tom Dodsworth, 3 p. m.; Charley Brown and Mariner, 4 p. m.; Pacific, 5 p. m.

WARREN.—River two feet. Showers.

STEUBENVILLE.—River 11 feet 2 inches and falling. Down, Fallie at 10:30 a. m.; J. C. Risher at 10:30 a. m. Up, Valiant at noon, Dave Wood at 1:15 p. m.

PARKERSBURG.—River nine feet and rising. The Greenwood passed up for Pittsburgh at noon. The Kanawha passed down for Charleston.

LOUISVILLE.—River stationary; 5 feet 9 inches in canal; 3 feet 7 on falls; 10 feet 1 below locks.

POINT PLEASANT.—River 6 feet 10 inches and rising. Down, Henry Stanley, Keystone State.

MORGANTOWN.—River 7 feet 7 inches and falling.

GALLIPOLIS.—River 7 feet 2 inches and rising.

OIL CITY.—River 2 feet 9 inches and falling.

GREENSBORO.—River 7 feet 11 inches and falling. Columbia down Thursday and Wood-ward up.

LAST TOW OUT ON THIS RISE.

Rivers Are Falling and Shipments Have Stopped for the Present.

One tow of 250,000 bushels of coal was all that went out yesterday. The water began to fall early yesterday morning, after reaching 9.1 feet at Davis Island dam. The chances for a coal stage in the next few days are slim, but little interest is taken in the present height of the water. The Dave Wood, with 12 coal barges and six fuel barges, was the only tow to leave yesterday. These are the last barges in the harbor, and more coal would have been shipped had it been loaded in barges. It looked for a while Tuesday night as though a coal stage would be reached yesterday and preparations for heavy shipments were made. Ten feet was not reached at the dam, however, and no chances were taken.

Rodgers Is an Admiral.

Captain W. B. Rodgers of the Rodgers Sand Company has been appointed admiral of the gala day which will celebrate the opening of slack water navigation in the Allegheny river. Next Tuesday, July 28, is the day set. The owners of industries in this valley will decorate their plants and at 12 o'clock noon of that day will blow their whistles and ring bells for a period of five minutes. Further orders are expected from Captain Rodgers soon.

The stage of water at the Davis Island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 7.9 feet, and the river was falling.

ARRIVALS.

I. C. Woodward, Williams, Morgantown, Edgar Cherry, Hong, Brownsville.

DEPARTURES.

Queen City, Sandford, Cincinnati. Columbia, Abrams, Morgantown. Edgar Cherry, Hong, Brownsville.

The Ben Hur is due to be in tonight from Parkersburg.

The Queen City left yesterday afternoon with a big trip for Cincinnati.

The Sam Brown and the Tornado went to Brown's station yesterday to receive some repairs.

Captain J. M. Gamble of the Pittsburgh & Morgantown line, is detained at Marietta on account of the illness of his wife and son.

Masters and Pilots' association, harbor No. 25, will install the recently elected officers for the ensuing year at a meeting in the Iron Exchange building at 2:30 this morning.

A large number of rivermen attended the sale of the steamers Elizabeth and Gertrude of the old Anchor line in the United States marshal's office yesterday. The bidding was spirited for a time, but the boats did not bring so much as they are said to be worth. S. W. Carpenter, a submarine diver of Allegheny, bought the Gertrude for $3,050, and the Elizabeth was knocked down to Theodore F. Miller, manager of the Monongahela & Ohio River Transportation Company, for $1,150. No claim was put in for the vessels by the owners. Marshal Stone sold the steamers to satisfy a claim of the Dilworth Coal Company for coal supplied to them two years ago. It is thought the boats will be repaired and offered for sale. The machinery of these steamers is said to be worth more than the prices paid for the boats.

BRIEFS OFF THE CABLE.

LONDON.—The house of commons by 228 to 118 votes passed the third reading of the London education bill.

SAN DOMINGO, SANTO DOMINGO.—Congress has proclaimed the election of General Woss y Gil as president of Septo Dominge, and General Deschamps as vice president. The president will take the oath at a near date.

EASTBOURNE, ENGLAND.—The British steamer Middleham Castle, Captain Lloyd, which sailed from Antwerp for Galveston recently, ran down the Swedish brigantine Scythlod southeast of Owers lightship. Six of the Svithlod's crew were drowned.

LONDON.—The whaler Vega, in which Nordenskjold accomplished the northeast passage, is reported by Lloyds to have been crushed in the ice and to have foundered in Melville bay, May 31. After a difficult journey of 3,000 miles in open boats and across the ice the crew reached the nearest settlement and returned home.

SAN JUAN, PORTO RICO.—The agents of a company, claiming $4,000,000 capital, in concessions from Mexico for colonizing the coast of Yucatan, are engaged at Maguez in inducing Porto Rican families to emigrate. The newspapers of this island oppose the plan, claiming that better times are coming for Porto Rico.

CONSTANTINOPLE.—The emptiness of the Turkish treasury is shown by the fact that the finance minister has for several weeks been unsuccessfully endeavoring to pay a month's salary to the state officials, who have only received one month's pay since March. It is believed that it will be possible to make a partial payment during the next few days.

Mrs. Anderson, a prominent society woman of Jacksonville, Fla., daughter of Recorder of Deeds, West, says:

"There are but few wives and mothers who have not at times endured agonies and such pain as only women know of. I wish such women knew the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It is a remarkable medicine, different in action from any other I ever knew and thoroughly reliable.

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HIS VALOR REWARDED.

Col. Wilson Receives Gold Medal Awarded for Bravery During Rebel Raid.

HARRISBURG, July 22.—Gov. Pennypacker this afternoon presented to Col. William Bender Wilson of Philadelphia the gold medal voted to him by the legislature for distinguished services as a military telegraph operator during the confederate raids into Pennsylvania in 1862 and 1863. The presentation ceremony took place in the governor's private room at the executive department.

The governor, in making the presentation, referred to Col. Wilson's daring in keeping track of the enemy and sending his information to the authorities. Col. Wilson made a feeling reply. The medal is of solid gold and is suspended from a gold state coat of arms, with colors in enamel. Col. Wilson was also voted a colonel's commission, which has been engrossed on parchment and handed him.

Texas people bank in Pittsburgh, North American Savings Co. tells how.

SHOW AN INCREASE.

Report of League of Building and Loan Associations Is Very Encouraging.

BOSTON, MASS., July 22.—The 11th annual meeting of the United States League of Local Building and Loan associations was opened here today. The report of Secretary H. F. Collarius shows that for the first time since 1893, the aggregate assets of the building and loan associations show an increase. There are 5,266 local building associations with a total membership of 1,439,707 and assets aggregating $577,228,014, which is an increase of $11,840,048 over last year.

There has been a net increase in the assets of the local building and loan associations in the United States during the last 10 years of over $100,000,000. Pennsylvania increased $32,319,126.

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IMPORTANT SALE

in their Departments of

Summer Suits, Wash & Cloth Skirts

Commencing Thursday, July 23

SHIRT WAIST SUITS AND COSTUMES.

A full assortment of striped and figured Madras Shirt Waist Suits, retail value $5.00, will be closed out at	$2.90
Persian Lawn Shirt Waist Suits; former prices $5.00 to $6.50, at	$2.90
Silk and Cotton Chambray Shirt Waist Suits; former prices $5.90 and $6.90, at	$4.90
Twenty different styles of Lawn Shirt Waist Suits; former prices $7.90 to $9.75, will be closed out at	$5.00
Extra quality white Linen Shirt Waist Suits, tucked waist and skirt; retail value $8.90, at	$6.50
Shirt Waist Suits of Embroidered Swiss Material; reduced from $20.00, to	$14.75
Silk Shirt Waist Suits in polka dot or checks; reduced from $14.75 to	$10.75
Blue and white checked and striped Silk Shirt Waist Suits; reduced from $18.75 to	$13.75
About 100 Silk Shirt Waist suits; former prices $20.00 and $25.00, will be closed out at	$14.75
Silk Suits of imported Taffeta with collars of Mexican drawn-work; former prices $40 and $45, will be closed out at	$22.50
The entire stock of Summer Dresses of Dimity, Persian Lawn and Linen, former prices $8.90 to $30.00, at	$19.75 to $6.90
Summer Dresses in exclusive styles and materials; former prices $35.00 to $70.00, at	$47.50 to $22.50

SKIRT DEPARTMENT.

Two style of white Pique Walking Skirts; reduced from $1.25 to	95c
Extra quality white Pique Skirts, welted seams; reduced from $3.00 to	$1.90
Extra quality black and blue duck Dress Skirts, band trimmed, reduced from $3.90 to	$1.90
A limited number of novelty Dress Skirts—yoke effect; reduced from $8.75 to	$3.90
A table of odds and ends of Walking Skirts of novelty mixtures; reduced from $6.90 to	$4.90
A lot of high class Dress Skirts; reduced from $8.75 and $12.75 to	$5.90
Entire line of Accordion Plaited Skirts, plain and yoke effects, will be closed out at	$6.90
A lot of highest grade black Broadcloth Dress Skirts—many of them silk lined; reduced from $18.75 to $20.00, to	$10.75
In addition will place on sale a handsome Etamine Dress Skirt, Silk Drop Lining, trimmed with clusters of circular taffeta bands; regular value $18.00, at	$12.75

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Final Clearance Sale

of the entire

Stock of Millinery

Including Trimmed, Tailored and Sailor Hats, Also Flower and Ribbon Remnants.

A table of Sailor Hats, formerly sold at 50c to 75c, at	15c
A table of Trimmed Hats, formerly sold at $1.50 and $3.00, at	75c
A limited number of Trimmed Hats, formerly sold at $5.00 to $10.00, at	$2.50
A lot of Trimmed and Tailored Hats, formerly sold at $10.00 to $15.00, at	$4.90

All imported high grade Hats, also Children's and Misses' Hats at corresponding reductions.

SIXTH AND LIBERTY STS.

Campbell's

THE PEOPLE'S STORE

NEW LACE BANDS—

Just received 200 pieces of those very desirable Cotton Cluny and Teneriffe Lace Bands, in all the widths from 2 to 5 inches. They go on sale at about One-Third the former prices. Specials at 15c, 12½c and 10c yard.

FINE BLACK LACES—

Black Silk Chantilly Galloons, in lovely medallion, floral leaf and wavy designs—all fine wide goods. What's left of our entire stock will be closed out at as follows: 25c kinds for 10c yard, 35c kinds for 15c yard, 49c kind for 19c yard.

Summer Clearing Prices

For Go-Carts, Refrigerators, Veranda Chairs, Lawn Seats, Underwear, Rain Coats, Straw Hats, Millinery.

Silk Shirt Waist Suits

Half Prices in Mid-Season

Lovely Plain Taffeta, Shot Taffeta and Foulard Silk Shirt Waist Suits—blue, green, black, garnet and light ground effects—in plain colors, stripes and polka dots—trimmed with strappings of the same material, fancy braids, buttons and lace. Many of them regular $25 Suits and all this year's best styles.

$11.98

Summer Clearing Prices

For Foulards, Wash Goods, Shirt Waists, Wash Skirts, Oxfords, Slippers, Wash Ties, Outing Suits.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats—Lovely millinery. Up-to-date in shape and trimmings, beautified with flowers, foliage, ribbons and quills. Regular prices $3.90 and $4.00. Remnant Price..... **98c**

Ready-to-Wear Hats—Ladies' and Misses' millinery for street purposes, travel and morning walks. Tan, brown, blue and white hats, whose regular price was $1.48, for..... **25c**

Trimming Flowers—A miscellaneous assortment of the flowers most in vogue for hat trimming this season. Single flowers, sprays and bunches which were 29c, 49c and 59c—Your choice Thursday for..... **10c**

Silk Coats—Ladies' $10 black Taffeta Silk Coats, just right for lake, river or seaside wear. A boon until November. Reduced now to..... **$5.98**

Ladies' Venetian Suits—$14.50 tan Venetian Suits with blouse jackets, satin lined, flat collars and stoles. Cut to..... **$8.48**

Ladies' White Suits—$7.50 Butchers' Linen White Shirt Waist Suits touch the lowest level of bargain prices at..... **$4.48**

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 45.)

AN ORDINANCE—Transferring the sum of twelve hundred and sixty ($1,260) dollars from appropriation No. 23, contractors' claims, to appropriation No. 6, item No. 1, bureau of police, the sum of four hundred and forty ($440) dollars, from appropriation No. 23, contractors' claims, to appropriation No. 6, item No. 2, bureau of police.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the sum of twelve hundred and sixty ($1,260) dollars, from appropriation No. 23, contractors' claims, to appropriation No. 6, item No. 1, to provide the necessary funds to pay the salaries of two additional police sergeants authorized by ordinance, approved June 18th, 1903, and the sum of four hundred and forty ($440) dollars is hereby transferred from appropriation No. 23, contractors' claims, to appropriation No. 6, item No. 2, bureau of police, to provide funds to pay the cost of furnishing patrol station No. 3, as authorized by ordinance, approved June 18th, 1903.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils, this 16th day of July, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17th, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 44.)

AN ORDINANCE—Transferring the sum of seven hundred ($700) dollars, from appropriation No. 23, contractors' claims, to appropriation No. 1, salaries.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the sum of seven hundred ($700) dollars, from appropriation No. 23, contractors' claims to appropriation No. 1, salaries, to provide the necessary funds for the payment of the increase in the salary of police magistrate in police district No. 3, as authorized by ordinance, approved June 18th, 1903.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 16th day of July, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17th, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 64.)

AN ORDINANCE—Vacating Derry street, Fifteenth ward, from Marshall's north line to the Park road, of a width of thirty (30) feet, according to accompanying plan, and as herein described.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Derry street, Fifteenth ward, from Marshall's north line to the Park road, be and the same is hereby vacated a width of thirty (30) feet, according to accompanying plan. The damages caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 15th day of July, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 41.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the issue of five thousand four hundred and thirty-two ($5,432.00) dollars Ashton street bonds to pay the cost of grading, paving and curbing of Ashton street, from Marshall avenue to Halsey place.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That an issue of registered bonds in the name of the city of Allegheny to the amount of five thousand four hundred and thirty-two ($5,432.00) dollars, to be designated Ashton street bonds, in accordance with the act of assembly entitled, "An act providing a system whereby cities may pave streets and alleys, pay the cost thereof by the issue of bonds, and collect the same from the property benefited, in installments," approved June 12th, 1895, and the same be and is hereby authorized and directed.

Sec. 2. Said bonds shall be of the denomination of one thousand dollars or multiples thereof, payable in five years from July 1st, 1903, with interest thereon at the rate of four per cent per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the city controller in the city of Allegheny, Pa., and the principal thereof at maturity at the same place. Said bonds to be signed by the mayor and treasurer and countersigned by the controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the city, and the proceeds thereof shall be applied exclusively for the payment of the cost of grading, paving and curbing of Ashton street, from Marshall avenue to Halsey place, and to no other purpose whatsoever. Said bonds to be issued and sold to the sinking fund commission of the city of Allegheny at par.

Sec. 3. Upon the collection of the cost of said grading, paving and curbing of Ashton street in the manner presented in the act of assembly aforesaid, the money so received by the city treasurer shall be applied semi-annually to the sinking fund for the payment of the interest and principal at maturity.

Sec. 4. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 16th day of July, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17th, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 42.)

AN ORDINANCE—Changing the grade of McClure avenue, Ninth and Eleventh wards, from Preble avenue to Eckert street.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of McClure avenue, Ninth and Eleventh wards, from Preble avenue to Eckert street, be and the same is hereby changed as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of McClure avenue and the east curb line of Preble avenue, at an elevation of thirty-one and seventeen hundredths (31.17) feet above city datum; thence descending at a rate of two (2) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of one hundred seven (107) feet to a point, elevation twenty-nine and three hundredths (29.03) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of one and fifteen hundredths (1.15) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of one hundred twenty-two (122) feet to a point, elevation thirty and forty-three hundredths (30.43) feet above city datum; thence ascending at a rate of five and five-tenths (5.5) feet per hundred (100) feet for a distance of one hundred ninety-seven (197) feet to the angle in the center line, elevation forty-one and two-tenths (41.2) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 13th day of July, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17th, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 60.)

AN ORDINANCE—Opening an unnamed ten (10) foot alley, Second ward, from Arlington avenue to Alpine avenue, of a width of ten (10) feet, according to accompanying plan, and as herein described.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That an unnamed ten (10) foot alley, Second ward, from Arlington avenue to Alpine avenue, be and the same is hereby opened of a width of ten (10) feet, according to accompanying plan. The center line thereof being described as follows: Beginning at the point of intersection of the north line of Alpine avenue and the east line of a five (5) foot alley, said point being also one hundred (100) feet west of the center line of Garfield avenue; thence northerly along the east line of said alley parallel to Garfield avenue, for a distance of eighty-one (81) feet to its intersection with the center line of said alley; thence westerly along the center line of said alley and parallel to Alpine avenue for a distance of one hundred thirty-two (132) feet to its intersection with the east line of a five (5) foot alley; thence northerly along said line parallel to Garfield avenue for a distance of ninety-seven (97) feet to a point on the south line of Arlington avenue, said point being two hundred thirty-two (230) feet west of the west line of Garfield avenue.

The damages caused thereby and the damages caused by the grade thereof and the benefits to pay the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 15th day of July, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17th, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 58.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the payment of seven hundred and forty ($740.00) dollars to Reineke, Wilson & Co., for lighting fixtures, chandeliers, pendants, brackets, etc., for engine house and patrol station, Preble avenue, Ninth ward, payable out of fund realized from sale of real estate, formerly engine houses Nos. 5 and 10.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the city comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to issue a certificate upon the mayor for the drawing of a warrant for seven hundred and forty ($740.00) dollars in favor of Reineke, Wilson & Co. for furnishing lighting fixtures, chandeliers, pendants, brackets, etc., in accordance with accompanying bill, duly approved by the director of the department of public safety.

The mayor is hereby authorized to execute a warrant for the same, the same to be payable out of fund realized from the sale of real estate, formerly engine houses Nos. 5 and 10.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 15th day of July, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17th, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 47.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a lateral sewer on Ellis avenue, Tenth ward, from present sewer on said Ellis avenue to the north line of Mayfield avenue, as herein described.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a lateral sewer on Ellis avenue, Tenth ward, from present sewer on said Ellis avenue to the north line of Mayfield avenue, be and the same is hereby authorized and ordered and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The costs and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 16th day of July, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17th, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 48.)

AN ORDINANCE—Requiring the director of the department of public works to furnish councils with an estimate of the benefits and damages, and the amount of damages which the city will be required to pay, if any, in all cases for the opening, widening, grading, paving, curbing, straightening or vacating any street, lane or alley or for the construction of any sewer.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That hereafter the director of the department of public works shall furnish to councils, in addition to the estimate required by law, an estimate of benefits and damages which the city will likely be required to pay for the opening, widening, grading, paving, curbing, straightening or vacating any street, lane or alley, or for the construction of any sewer.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 16th day of July, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., July 17th, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN, Mayor.